WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains abnormally high on the Pacific Slope, and fine, moderately cold weather prevails over this province. Some temperatures are reported in Saskatchewan and Manitoba.

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ONE KILLED, THREE HURT IN SIGNAL HILL CRASH

SIR H. S. HOLT THROWS LIGHT ON SITUATION

Europe on Verge of Prosperity — Means Much to Canada—Trade With U.S. Not Satisfactory

HIGHER U.S. TARIFF WILL FORCE ACTION

Trade Already One-Sided —Further Exclusion of Canadian Products Will Necessitate Remedy

MONTREAL, Jan. 10.—Announcing his belief that the Old World stands upon the verge of a period of prosperity similar to that which is now being experienced in North America, Sir Herbert S. Holt, in the course of his presidential address to the shareholders of the Royal Bank of Canada, today said that Canada's international trade would soon rise to new and unprecedented levels.

Sir Herbert, however, said the trade relationship between the United States and Canada was unsatisfactory.

He pointed out that the United States sales to Canada were in excess of $600,000,000 of Canadian sales to the United States in 1928. Such an unbalanced trade relationship was injurious to the national welfare of Canada, Sir Herbert continued. Another unsatisfactory factor in the situation was that while Canada imported manufactured goods from the United States, paid for at the disproportionately high wages since the war, Canadian exports were mostly raw materials and other items not requiring skilled labor for their manufacture.

TO MEET U.S. TARIFF

Alluding to the demand in some quarters in the United States for a higher tariff, Sir Herbert said:

"If further handicaps were placed upon the exports of Canada, it will be imperative for the Dominion to seek more favorable trade agreements with other nations, and to change the present relationship by the application of measures for our own protection. As a last resort it may be necessary to meet the situation by direct tariff increase and by granting more preference to Great Britain and to most favored nations."

After saying he was not suggesting tariffs that would increase the cost of living, but merely permit of the maintenance of a reasonable and stable prosperity, Sir Herbert called attention to the possibility of increased trade with the Orient.

Touching on the over-production of newsprint, Sir Herbert said it was imperative that measures be taken to remedy this situation. The most pressing internal problem of Canada, he thought, was the need for more population, and he recommended immigration.

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From the Colonist Tower

Friday, Jan. 11

Eleventh Day, 1929

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds, continued fine, and moderately cold at night.

Sun Rises: 9:04 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 4:38 o'clock.

High Tide: 11:15 p.m., 8.5 feet.
Low Tide: 9:48 p.m., 1.3 feet.

Sport

Victoria Cubs lose second straight on ice to Portland Rubies.
New York Rangers have Chicago worst defeat of N.H.L. this season, Bruins, Americans and Cougars win Hawks and Pirates battle to draw Victoria.
Annual reports at Uplands Golf Club meeting show club has experienced successful year.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Alderman Marchant proposes creation of Victoria School Area district.
City sets aside six acres for civic centre.
Civic police ask for increase in salary.
Bank of Commerce to remodel branch at Government and Fort Streets.
Delegation urges continuance of present scale of timber royalties.
New hydro-electric plants to be built in Mackenzie riding.
Hand-controlled stop-and-go signals to be used at busy corners in Victoria.
Thomas Pennefather, Cowichan Lake, killed, and three others injured in automobile accident.
Commissioner Staneland calls raids on gamblers in Chinatown quarter futile and advocates new policy.
Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Draft bill made in immigration alleged from non-preferred countries.
Sir Herbert S. Holt discusses course necessary if new United States tariff cuts off markets.

POLICE RAIDS IN CHINATOWN CALLED FUTILE

New Policy to Check Gambling Among Orientals Is Needed, Says Commissioner Staneland

ISSUE REFERRED TO CHIEF FRY

That the time had arrived to adopt a new policy to check gambling in Chinatown was the opinion expressed by Commissioner Walter E. Staneland at yesterday's meeting of the City Police Commission. Chief of Police John Fry was instructed to bring in a report on some new line of action other than police raids which could be adopted to enforce the provisions of the Criminal Code.

Commissioner Staneland said he had always upheld Chief Fry in the matter of law enforcement, and his idea of police work was to use preventive efforts whenever and as practicable. In the past six years the city had collected approximately $40,000 through police raids on Chinese gambling premises. After making a careful personal survey, he had found that the same condition of gambling that existed in Chinatown six years ago prevailed today.

NOT EFFECTIVE

"The raiding of Chinatown has not proved effective, but they brought to the minds of the citizens that the only place these raids are conducted for is to get money. I think the time has arrived to have the Criminal Code observed without these raids being enumerated.

"I have a feeling that the use of

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G. F. MATHEWS HONOR GUEST

BANQUET MARKS RETIREMENT FROM McLENNAN, McFEELY & PRIOR, LIMITED

Directors of Company Hosts—Early Days Are Recalled and Appreciations Given Gathering

Eloquent testimony to the valued services which he has given the firm of Messrs. McLennan, McFeely & Prior, Ltd., was tendered Mr. G. F. Mathews by the directors of the company on Wednesday evening, when they held a banquet at the Empress in his honor on the occasion of his retirement into private life after forty-three years' active association with the Victoria branch of the business. Additional to the numerous appreciations and cordial appreciation voiced in the course of the evening's addresses, Mr. Gordon Purvis, on behalf of the directors, made a presentation of a silver cup, bearing the inscription of a handsome silver plate suitably engraved and tangibly commemorating the high esteem in which the recipient was held by all his associates in the firm.

The occasion was honored by the presence of five of the Vancouver directors as well as a majority of the local representatives. The Vancouver directors were Mr. Gordon Farrell, vice-president of the company, Mr. C. P. W. Schwengers, managing director, Mr. Frank Wilkinson, Mr. R. P. McLennan and Mr. J. H. McLennan. Mr. Frank Barnard, Mr. H. P. Butchart, Mr. H. A. Boas and Mr. Ancrum Boustead, owing to absence from the province at the present time were unable to attend, but there were present the Hon. Senator C. H. Barnard, His Honor Judge Lampman (son-in-law of the late Colonel Prior), Mr. George Wynne, Mr. C. F

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MINISTER OF IMMIGRATION ALTERS TUNE

Drastic Change of Policy Announced by Mr. Robert Forke—Can Increase British Immigration

BARS RAISED ON EAST EUROPEANS

Labor Immigration From Nonpreferred Countries Is Cut Two-Thirds — None Admitted After May 31

BRANDON, Man., Jan. 10.—Publication of a letter instructing Canadian railways to cut to one third the immigration from Central and Southeastern Europe was authorized today by Hon. Robert Forke, Minister of Immigration, he stated at the United Farmers of Manitoba convention this afternoon.

Speaking before the farmers' gathering, Mr. Forke outlined Canada's immigration policy.

He stated that his deputy minister had been notified by telegraph the letter to the railways. The reduction is to be made to one-third of the 1928 total from the specified countries and extend the last year's figures at 67,000 immigrants.

BRITISH IMMIGRATION

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—Arrangements have been completed by the Department of Immigration to place in farm employment in Canada 6,000 British trained immigrants, which is the maximum number that will be available during the year. The department will assist in placing an average number of lads who want farm work and come to Canada. This was the gist of a statement made this evening by W. J. Egan, Deputy Minister of Immigration, in making public a letter to the railway companies.

EAST EUROPEANS

In this letter the Deputy Minister instructs the transport companies to reduce to 30 per cent of last year's total the number of farm laborers

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POLICE SEEK PAY INCREASE

Delegation From Mutual Benefit Association Places Matter Before Members of Commission

FIFTEEN PER CENT. ADVANCE IS URGED

A 15 per cent increase in pay for all members of the Victoria Police Department was sought by a delegation composed of Sergeant John A. McLennan, Detectives Walter Calwell and Constable Charles Cramer, of the Victoria Police Mutual Benefit Association, who waited upon the City Police Commission at its meeting yesterday afternoon at the police station.

Sergeant McLellan, spokesman of the deputation, informed the Police Commission that members of the police department had not received an increase in salaries since 1921, when their wages were raised $7.50 per month. But this increase was taken away in the following year.

"It is true that the cost of living has increased, together with a rise in taxes and other incidental expenses. On top of that, the Bureau-cratic Act came into effect, which cut into our cheques," he said.

The Labor Gazette shows that between February, 1925, and November, 1928, there was a 5 per cent increase in prices of twenty-nine staple articles of foodstuffs in British Columbia, and the cost of living in so far as these commodities are concerned is 5 per cent greater in Victoria than in Vancouver. There is also a 5 per cent increase in rents since 1924. We ask the commission to give us a 15 per cent increase on our present remuneration," Sergeant McLellan said.

Mayor Herbert Ashcroft, chairman of the Police Commission, and Commissioners Walter E. Staneland and William Wilson said the delegation several questions relative to its request. Mayor Ashcroft said, asked: "You know the position of the city as well as we do. We will give your request every consideration."

Earl of Egmont Dies; Successor Lives in Alberta

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Charles John Perceval, ninth Earl of Egmont, died tonight. Frederick Joseph Trevelyan Perceval, a distant relative, who resides in Pincher Creek, Alberta, becomes the title.

EARL OF PLYMOUTH

Who has been appointed Parliamentary Undersecretary of State for Dominion Affairs in succession to Lord Lovat.

MR. S. PARKER GILBERT

Agent-General for Reparations Payments, is on his way back to the United States after holding conferences in Paris with German officials in connection with the payment of Germany's reparations. This report has arrived at a conclusion in European capitals.

CREATION OF HIGH SCHOOL AREA MOOTED

Alderman William Marchant Offers Remedy for Serious Situation in Victoria

LEGISLATIVE AID MAY BE REQUESTED

A proposal to seek legislation at the coming session of the Provincial Legislature to create a Victoria Victoria high school district will be recommended to the City Council by Alderman William Marchant when the city school board waits upon the aldermanic board to present its case in connection with the need of more high school accommodation and its solution of the problem by having a technical school, for which a by-law would have to be submitted to the people for a third time.

Alderman Marchant said he did not approve of submitting the by-law to the electorate within a few short weeks of its defeat at the polls.

"While I am wholly in favor of the erection and maintenance of a school of this character," he said, "yet I do consider it an injustice to the citizens of Victoria to be solely responsible for the whole of the capital expenditure necessary. Apart from the contributions of the Provincial and Dominion Governments Victoria citizens would have to borrow direct for the buildings and equipment, which would cost between $9,000 and $10,000 annually for twenty-five years to provide the sinking fund charges and interest.

STILL FURTHER EXPENSE

"In addition to this outlay the cost of maintenance, salaries, etc. would be not less than $20,000 a year at the beginning, which would probably increase in the near future.

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Safety Deposit Box Opened and $313,000 Found

MONTREAL, Jan. 10.—The safety deposit box rented here from the Montreal Safe Deposit Company by Franco Phillips, son of the Queen's County New York contractor, who died while under indictment before the courts of New York for defrauding that city, was opened here today and found to contain $313,000 in $1,000 treasury notes of the United States. The box was opened in the presence of representatives of the State of New York, kin of the Phillips estate and others, pursuant to an order issued in the Superior Court today by Mr. Justice Surveyor

New Hydro-Electric Plants to Be Erected In Mackenzie Riding

NOTICE has been given through the Water Branch of the Department of Lands of the application of persons to develop power in Hemathko Riding. The applications are for large holdings and appear in the name of Bernhardt and A. F. Rafferty.

One licence sought is for the taking of 1,300 cubic second feet and to store 1,300,000 acre feet out of the east fork of Hemathko River. The series of dams that are suggested in the application start with one about four miles from the north end of Tatlayoko Lake.

Another licence in the same names is sought to take and use 800 cubic second feet and to store 7,480,000 acre feet of water from Chilko River.

The applications clearly indicate on the part of some corporation extensive undertakings in the matter of developing power which will be used for some purpose undertaken.

The location of the water power which it is proposed to develop is in the vicinity of the suggested undertaking under which water would be diverted from the Chilko watershed to the Hemathko River flowing into Bute Inlet.

CONTINUANCE OF PRESENT SCALE URGED

Timber Royalties Issue Is Presented to Government by Influential Deputation of Lumbering Interests

INDUSTRY IS UNDER CLOUD

No Change in Policy Asked, But Suspension of Automatic Increases Until Business Has Recovered

A LL branches of the timber industry in the Province of Columbia were represented at the gathering which took place yesterday afternoon, when the situation from the standpoint of the operators in timber in the province was presented before the Provincial Government with the idea of seeking redress from what is held to be a serious situation that faces the industry commencing January 1, 1930. This condition of affairs is created by the automatic advance in the royalties now being paid of some 25 per cent on the average.

It was requested that the Government provide for legislation at the coming session of the Legislature to suspend the royalties for the five years following January 1, 1930, remaining the same as they are at present, with respect to the Vancouver district.

The situation in the Prince Rupert district and the district east of the Cascades was represented as in a worse condition than within the Vancouver district. It was therefore requested that reductions be made in these areas in compliance with the petition of the Interior Lumbermen's Association.

The representatives were heard by the entire cabinet, with the exception of Hon. J. Hinchliffe, who was absent from the city. The President

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NEW TRAFFIC SYSTEM HERE

Hand Control Stop-and-Go Signals to Be Operated When Required at Busy Intersections

BOARD APPROVES BUYING OF SIGNS

Victoria will shortly have the hand-control stop-and-go traffic signals already in use in effect at important intersections in that portion of the business part of the city.

The City Police Commission yesterday endorsed Commissioner Walter E. Staneland's recommendation that three hand-control stop-and-go signals be purchased, and that when required these stop-and-go signs be operated by traffic officers at the following posts: Port and Douglas Streets, View and Douglas Streets and Yates and Douglas Streets.

Mr. Staneland's suggestion that a survey of the downtown sections be made to ascertain at what time the corners are busy, and for the length of time the signals will be required to be operated during the day and night, also received the commission's approval.

Provision for the cost of the purchase of these three signals will be made in the commission's estimates. A committee of the commission will meet the City Council, requesting the latter body to reconsider the commission's recommendation that the arterial highway system be extended west on Port Street to Blanshard Street.

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COWICHAN LAKE MAN DIES WHEN AUTO STRIKES TELEPHONE POLE

Mr. Thomas Pennefather, Victim of Accident on Esquimalt Road Yesterday Afternoon—Miss L. Bilsborough, Myrtle Avenue; C. McCarty and T. Burns, of Westholme Hotel, Injured

James Davis, Driver of Car, Is Held by Police

Automobile Fails to Take Sharp Curve at Crest of Hill, Crashes Into Fence and Finally Wraps Itself Around Pole—Two of Injured Are in Hospital—Inquest Will Be Held Saturday

THOMAS Pennefather, aged sixty-two years, of Cowichan Lake, was killed, and three persons were injured when a "drive yourself" automobile, driven by James Davis, of Cowichan Lake, crashed into a telephone pole on Signal Hill, Esquimalt Road, shortly after 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The car was literally wrapped around the pole by the impact.

Those injured are:

Miss Lorelle Bilsborough, of 1603 Myrtle Avenue, an injured jaw, possible fracture to the spine and severe cuts and bruises about the face and body.

C. McCarty, resident at the Westholme Hotel, four fractured ribs and severe cuts and bruises about the face and body.

Thomas Burns, living at the Westholme Hotel, a deep cut over the eyes and severe cuts and bruises about the body.

Miss Bilsborough and Mr. McCarty are in the St. Joseph's Hospital.

James Davis is being held by the Esquimalt police in the city jail pending the inquest, which will probably be Saturday morning, Coroner R. Cecil Hart said last night. Chief of Esquimalt Police John Antreman said last night that no action would be taken until the verdict of the coroner's jury was received. In the meantime Davis would be held as a material witness.

In the city charge office yesterday afternoon, Davis told the story of what had happened to Chief of Police Antreman. He broke down several times during the course of his story.

RELATES HAPPENING

He told the police that he had hired a "drive yourself" car from the Veterans' Taxi Company at Cowichan Lake, where he had friends around town in the car, which was a new Graham-Page model. Afterwards they went to the Half-way House, where they stayed for a short time, and then proceeded toward the village of Esquimalt.

After climbing Signal Hill, on Esquimalt Road, he failed to negotiate the sharp curve in the crest of the hill. The curve at this point forms a portion of the top of the hill and is both on the up-grade and the descent.

The car crossed the street car track, run off the highway and for a short distance traveled parallel with the fence, which it eventually struck and ended up by crashing against a telephone pole.

The pole caught the right side of the car, just back of the front seat, and crushed it in, breaking the top down upon the occupants. The flooring in the driver's seat was pushed upward.

CRASH HEARD

Nearby residents, who heard the crash, notified the police. Chief Acreman and Constable D. Hodgins responded. Immediately upon their arrival they secured a doctor, who pronounced life extinct in the case of Mr. Pennefather, who sustained a fractured skull. The doctor sent Miss Bilsborough and Mr. McCarty to the hospital in the C. & C. ambulance.

The body of Mr. Pennefather was taken to Sandor Funeral Parlor, where the inquest will be held. Mr. Pennefather was a resident of the Cowichan Lake Lumber Company, and also was Chief Clerk. The only known relative of Mr. Pennefather is a sister, who lives in the Eastern United States.

Vancouver Chief Outlines Plans to Clean Up City

VANCOUVER, Jan. 10.—Clean-up of gambling houses, brothels and bootlegging establishments operating in the city was forecast at the meeting of the Ministerial Association, when Chief W. Bingham, in a speech and stereopticon report to the commission this afternoon, outlined his plans.

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PLANES DOING WORK OF DOGS IN SUBARCTIC

Mail From Northern Alberta to Mackenzie River Posts to Be Carried in Day Instead of Month

OTTAWA ANNOUNCES POSTAL CONTRACT

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—Dog teams will be supplanted by the airplane in conveying a load of mail from Northern Alberta into the sub-Arctic within the next few days, postoffice officials announced today. Through the co-operation of the Western Canada Airways, Limited, Mr. Venlot, Postmaster-General, has arranged for a flight from Fort McMurray to Fort Simpson, in the Northwest Territories.

The 850 miles which would ordinarily take a month with dog teams will be covered in a day.

The next scheduled trip into the North would not have left before January 22, and the lonely trappers and prospectors in the Arctic would have waited until the latter part of February for mail.

A similar flight has been successfully accomplished by the Yukon Exploration Company from Telegraph Creek in Northern British Columbia, into Atlin, instead of taking ten days by dog teams, the mail reached Atlin by air in one hour and twenty minutes.

King Making as Much Headway as Can Be Expected

LONDON, Jan. 10.—"A quiet day without change," was the story told by tonight's bulletin from the medical attendants of King George. More informing was a weekly review in The British Medical Journal, which remarked:

"His Majesty is making as much progress as can be expected at this stage of his long, grave illness. Since the beginning of the new year the upward steps toward recovery have, we believe, outnumbered the downward steps."

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PREMISES OF BANK WILL BE REMODELED

Canadian Bank of Commerce Principal Branch Here to Be Reconstructed Throughout Interior

NO ALTERATION IN EXTERIOR

The Canadian Bank of Commerce building, Government and Fort Streets, originally erected for the Bank of British Columbia and among the most imposing structures in the city, is to be enlarged. Mr. P. B. Fowler, local manager, received word yesterday that work involving an expenditure of about $60,000 would be started immediately.

According to Mr. Fowler, the exterior will not be altered. But the whole interior of the building will be reconstructed, new vaults will be installed and large safety deposit vaults added.

"All walls and other subdivisions on the main floor are to be removed to give space for the main banking room. Marble marble columns will be introduced. Counters and tellers' cages will be arranged around the sides of the room, leaving a well in the center for customers.

"The bank is introducing a speedy savings account system, the first of the kind to be used in Canada, which will greatly facilitate customers' business

S.A. COUNCIL IS RESOLUTE

STIRRING SCENES IN HIGH COUNCIL INDICATE FIRM DECISION REACHED

General Booth Affectionately Asked to Retire but Retaining Rank and Dignities

LONDON, Jan. 10.—While seven members of the Salvation Army high council waited at Eyworth last night before proceeding with their deliberations of retirement by their commander-in-chief, General Bramwell Booth (nephew of the London Daily Mail published accounts of alleged scenes in the high council chamber at Sunbury-on-Thames today, and the alleged text of the letter from General Booth which precipitated the crisis. The letter is that which proposed a high council of five members.

According to The Mail, the letter was a personal request, touching most of those present, but this was neutralized when one of them questioned its authenticity. The meeting of the high council was forecast at the meeting of the Salvation Army council, when Chief Commissioner Higgins, a strong anti-Bramwell supporter, left the commission this afternoon, outlined his plan.

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DIGGON'S
Calculation Contest
Number of stones at top in container
10,847
Successful contestants announced later

Immigration from the Irish Free State is declining with the betterment of living conditions there.

CONTINUANCE OF PRESENT SCALE URGED

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of the Council, Hon. Rolf Bruhn, was in attendance, leaving again last evening for the Mainland.

LENGTHY ARGUMENT

The conference which was attended by some forty representative timber men, occupied all afternoon. The Government was represented by the delegates from about 2 o'clock until nearly 5 o'clock. Following the conclusion of the meeting, which was held in camera, members of the timbermen's delegation expressed themselves well pleased with the reception that had been accorded them by Premier Tolmie and the members of the administration. They had been, they said, given every opportunity to present their case and had been listened to with the most careful attention by the Government.

No reply to the requests as to what line of action might be expected was given, the Premier promising the most careful consideration.

Among the arguments that were advanced by the timber men was that the annual increase in the lumber rates that were in view when the increased rates were established in 1924 had not materialized.

Various reasons were advanced for this and details submitted, with evidence on the subject from American as well as Canadian statistics connected with the industry. The increase in the use of substitutes for lumber was cited by them as among the reasons that had failed to advance in price on the part of lumber.

EFFECT ON SMALL OPERATORS

It was urged that if the statutory increase in the royalties was insisted upon in 1930, the situation would be created that smaller logging operations would have to close down. This would be followed by the throwing of men out of employment.

It was set out that, having in view the fact that British Columbia possessed a supply of mature timber sufficient to maintain a greater annual cut in perpetuity than the present one, it would be contrary to sound economic principles, and to the settled policy of the Government, to be a party to a course of action that would have such a disastrous effect.

The trend of lumber prices and stumpage values during the last four years were cited as supporting the representations that were made by the lumber interests in 1924 when the royalties were under review and when it was contended by the timber men that the rates should then be for a ten-year period.

At that time, 1924, it was set out in the memorandum presented by the delegation yesterday, the royalty fixed by the Government for the first five-year period was slightly in excess of the proposals made by the industry. The amount fixed was approximately an average of 25 per cent.

The increase for the second five-year period was an increase on this average ranging up to 50 per cent. This latter rate was protested against by the industry at the time it was argued.

There was no attempt made by the delegation to get away from the system that was there, and which had been adopted in 1914 on the time that the late Hon. W. R. Ross was Minister of Lands.

THREE PRINCIPLES

The system of assessing royalties was heartily approved by the industry, as it recognized three important principles, namely: (1) that the public is entitled to a share in the unearned increment if there is an increase in timber values; (2) that it is contrary to the principles of forest conservation to propose charges which will force the Government of the forest resources beyond market requirements; (3) that security of title is essential to the carrying on of a large industry like the logging and lumber business.

The representation at the meeting from the lumber men included the following:

From British Columbia Lumber Association — Mr. Thomas, Vancouver Lumber Co.; Mr. Abernethy Eburne Sawmills; Mr. Gedd, Cedar Cove Sawmill & Development Co.; Mr. L. Cameron, Rat Portage Lumber Co.; Mr. J. D. Ellsinger, Canadian Puget Sound Lumber Co.; Mr. W. H. Munro, Shawnigan Lake Lumber Co.; Mr. McFarlane, Sidney Mills, Ltd.; Mr. Wilkinson, B.C. Lumber Association; Mr. Lamb, False Creek Lumber Co.; Mr. Engish, Wood & English; Mr. Fletcher, Forest Investment Co.; Camosun Lumber Co., Alberni Pacific and Thurston Plywills; J. G. Hobson, Timberland Development Co.; Mr. Moore, Moore & Whittington.

From Mountain Lumbermen Association—Mr. H. F. Kilmeistner, manager B.C. Spruce Mills, Lumberton; C. M. Pennock, vice-president Crown Mills; B.C. Lumber Co.; Wardner; H. C. Meeker, manager Skeena Pine Mills, Merritt; Don McPhee, manager Sinclair Spruce Mills, Sinclair Mills; W. F. Jack, president and manager Longworth Lumber Co., Longworth, B.C.

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Mr A. F. Pooler, consulting accountant; Mr. C. H. O'Brian, E.C., solicitor for the British Columbia Loggers' Association, and Mr C. B. Salsis, who appeared for the timber holders.

Beautiful ridge fabrics—Interest! "It was in this very room, sir, that Dickens commenced."

American tourist. "That so? How much did he pay?"

Candidate Raises Home Rule Issue In Scotch Riding

By GEORGE HAMILTON
Staff Correspondent of the Colonist Press.

EDINBURGH, Jan. 10.—In that Northern Midlothian where Gladstone made his whirlwind campaign, a by-election issue has been joined over Home Rule for Scotland.

There are four candidates: Major John Colville, Conservative; David Kerr, Liberal; Andrew Clarke, Labour, and Lewis Spence, Scottish Nationalist.

But it is to the fortunes of the Scottish Nationalist candidate that attention is chiefly drawn. His platform, to use the words of the National Party's constitution, is "self government for Scotland, with independent national status within the British group of nations, whether with reconstruction of Scottish national life."

POLICE RAIDS IN CHINATOWN CALLED FUTILE

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stool pigeons in Chinatown has had a lot to do with the unrest that has prevailed in the Oriental quarter. A different policy should be inaugurated forthwith so that the public will not think the raids are held merely for collection of money. The policy which has been in effect must be wrong. If the gambling houses are still running the same as they have done in the past," Commissioner Stanland resumed.

OBTAIN DATA

Mayor Hamilton intimated he considered there would be no harm in the commissioner obtaining all the data on the matter, and said it would be well for the chief of police to give a report on the same.

"You can't stop a Chinaman gambling," was Commissioner Wilson's opinion.

Mr. Stanland: I won't bear any longer the stigma that has been thrown up to me time and time again that we are raiding Chinatown to pay money from the Chinese.

The commission instructed Chief Fry to make a report on the entire matter.

CREATION OF HIGH SCHOOL AREA MOOTED

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"The school would be and must be, from the very nature of the agreement with the Government, open to all students from the neighboring municipalities, and also from the unorganized districts."

Alderman Marchant went on to say that this very proviso on the part of the Government meant that the other municipalities should endorse the project.

"Victoria's heavy mill rate should not be surprised to more than is absolutely necessary, and it is but just that all parties concerned should co-operate in the undertaking. The other municipalities should at least be requested to do so, and if they refused, then students from these municipalities could reasonably be refused admittance, except at greatly enhanced rates of admission.

"As I view it," he continued, "the educational system ought not to be allowed to become a political issue, especially in this true in relation to colleges, technical schools, and high schools. There is some force in the argument that municipalities should provide for primary education, but I personally think that all institutions of learning, provided for and equipped by taxes levied upon the people, should be provincially paid for, and controlled direct by the Government. But as a lesser measure, I consider that the schools other than primary schools, should be at least matters of county wide.

CITIES ONTARIO SYSTEM

"If I am correctly informed, Ontario's high schools are not municipal institutions but are supported by the districts contiguous to the schools. One or more of the greater provinces apply his method to their public schools. Why then should not British Columbia adopt this principle?"

Alderman Marchant pointed out that the new Minister of Education might well begin a new trail along this line. "He is from the educated professional ranks, and is not wanting in new ideas and in courage. If he was assured of general support, I feel pretty certain that he would not hesitate to explore new ground and act upon the information gained.

"Why should not the school boards of all the municipalities unite to interview the minister, and seek his advice and interest in the matter?

"I repeat that Victoria and district need a technical school and ought to have it, but Victoria should neither be the milch cow for the district, nor the mule to bear all the burden of additional new educational requirements for the district.

"I am strongly in favor of the technical school but I want a square deal for Victoria," he declared.

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MOTORISTS who fail to [illegible] their driver's licence upon the demand of a police officer will be given a warning on their first offence, instead of being summoned to appear in the police court to face a charge, the City Police Commissioner decreed yesterday. The offenders in such cases, however, will be required to appear at the police station and produce their licences within twenty-four hours after being apprehended by the police.

Commissioner Walter E. Blakeland suggested that such a policy be adopted by the police towards motorists in respect to their first offence of failing to produce their licences.

Sir Lomer Gouin Takes Office as Lieut.-Governor

QUEBEC, Jan. 10.—Sir Lomer Gouin took the oath of office as Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of Quebec at a brief ceremony this afternoon. Sir Lomer Gouin was for many years Premier of the Province of Quebec, and later Minister of Justice in the King cabinet.

SIR H. S. HOLT THROWS LIGHT ON SITUATION

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mended a substantial increase in immigration.

STOCK BOOM DANGER

C. E. Neill, general manager of the bank, after referring to the prosperity which had accrued to the farmers owing to the record crop of 1928, said that there was pronounced shortage of cattle in the United States and there had been a move on men to purchase cattle in Canada. With the present strength in the price of livestock, it would seem wise for the farmers to increase rather than decrease his holdings of beef and dairy stock.

Mr. Neill remarked that the suggestion in the United States that the national government co-operate with the state governments in setting aside a large sum for the construction of roads and other public works whenever the business barometer pointed toward depression, contained the germ of an idea which the Canadian Government and leaders in industry well might keep in mind.

Mr. Neill said that undoubtedly speculation in stocks had been carried too far and it was the duty of the entire financial community to do everything possible to prevent further speculative excesses which, if not curbed, must inevitably lead to trouble.

S.A. COUNCIL IS RESOLUTE

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retire from office, retaining his title of General and continuing to enjoy the honor and dignity attaching thereto.

An impressive, silent ceremony followed. The Rt. Hon. Smuts, who had decided to send a letter, cancelled a contemplated speech. The delegates sang the hymn "Oh God, Our Help In Ages Past" and then the draft of the letter was laid before the table of the president of the council.

One after another the members walked up the centre aisle of the council chamber and signed what, when one received as an historic document. Fifty-six of the sixty-seven members signed their names, it was stated.

"It was a veritable sacrament," said one commissioner in describing the proceedings.

MUST NOT TALK BIRTH CONTROL

CARDIFF, WALES, REFUSES PERMISSION TO DELIVER PUBLIC ADDRESS

Lamentable State of Affairs in Dock District Revealed—Many Half-Starved Children

CARDIFF, Wales, Jan. 10 — Dr Marie Stopes, noted birth control publicist, has been refused permission by the Cardiff Corporation to deliver an address at a local theatre on Sunday. The Lord Mayor said the proposed address, "whether right or wrong, must be repeated. "All the young women of Cardiff should be made aware of the facts contained in the city, which contains a lamentable state of affairs, was published today. Hundreds of half-starved children are born every constable. "Many white girls are employed at the so-called cafes frequented by seamen. Some women are so destitute as to go through a form of marriage which they are told is according to Mohammedan law, and divorces are granted as easily. The present law concerning divorce is ineffective in this instance because there is difficulty proving such born are alleged in law."

MINISTER OF IMMIGRATION ALTERS TUNE

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from nonpreferred countries moved by each company in 1927. The entire movement must be completed by May 31, this year.

The Deputy Minister explained to the railway companies that it had been the experience of the department during the past three years that not more than 30 per cent of the allowed farm laborers brought from nonpreferred countries actually stayed on the land. Unquestionably there was a very strong feeling against the unduly large proportion of foreign as contrasted with the British immigrants shown in the immigration statistics for the last few years, the letter set forth, and the movement under the railways agreement was largely responsible for this condition.

The restrictions, however, do not apply in any way to the movements of Central European agricultural families coming to Canada for land settlement, nor to the movement of those workers who are certified by proper arrangements for their protection.

ALBERTA TAKES STAND

The Province of Alberta has made representations to the department that while they are anxious to secure a supply of British farm labor and also a supply from preferred countries, they already have in the province all the nonpreferred country immigrants they require for farm work this year. In view of this situation the department will endeavor to carry out Alberta's wishes and the province is being so advised. Mr. Egan's letter declares that a departmental survey has shown a demand for spring placement of approximately 500 British farm workers exclusive of agricultural families for land settlement and that 50 per cent were available. Since the letter was written, however, arrangements for the placement of the entire number have been completed.

G. F. MATHEWS HONOR GUEST

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Mathews, and Mr. H. Schwengers, manager of the Victoria branch.

OLD TIMES RECALLED

The speeches were rounded in happy vein, the occasion evoking many reminiscences. In making the presentation on behalf of the company, Mr. Parrott expressed the pleasure in being accorded the opportunity of giving recognition to such outstanding service as Mr. Mathews had given. Mr. C. P. W. Schwengers referred to his old association with Mr. Mathews. Mr. Wynne and the late Colonel Prior. He personally considered that he had been singularly fortunate in being able to commence his business career in an environment so congenial and so helpful. Mr. Schwengers touched on the early days of the company and a representative of the United States Steel Corporation recalled his own early days in Montreal, when he started with the H. R. & H. Thompson Company of that city. Many of the strangers had been dealing with the Brier Hole shipment, which had arrived in the eastern part of the continent, had been dealing with a shipment on the same vessel. He traced the early days of trading in the hardware business and recited many anecdotes, expressing the pleasure he had felt in being associated for so long a period with the old organization and as a partner with the principals. Other speakers recalled that the firm of McLennan, McFeely & Co. commenced business in Victoria in 1888 in the northwest corner of Government and Johnson Streets, on the very premises which were last year acquired by the Mason & R. O. Prior & Co. and on which they had erected their new warehouse.

ANECDOTES ENJOYED

Judge Lampman, Senator Barchard and Mr. R. P. Rithet spoke also of early associations in Victoria, recalling many anecdotes of sport, business and politics and all united in expressing to Mr. Mathews their friendship, good will and best wishes for many happy years side by side to be looked forward to in the active retirement which he has chosen.

The Victoria branch, previously to Prior & Co., had established an interesting and unique record for long service. Mr. George Wynne joined the firm when it was operated by Mr. Alfred Wynne. Mr. Mathews entered partnership with the late Colonel Prior in 1885. Mr. C. P. W. Schwengers joined the firm as office boy in 1886, and Mr. H. Schwengers in 1896. Mr. Alex. Jackson, still in their employ, commenced in 1891 and Mr. J. B. Mitchell in 1897. These men are all still enjoying physical and mental health, and the six of them represent a total of 209 years service in the hardware business of the old company. Mr. Mathews and Mr. George Wynne are now retired. Mr. C. P. W. Schwengers is managing director of the new amalgamated companies, with headquarters in Vancouver, and Mr. B. P. Schwengers is manager of the Victoria branch.

It is interesting to know that Mr. Mathews has just purchased a bicycle, intending to devote a great deal of his time to cycling, an old hobby, an action still symbolic of continued youth.

Growers' President Gives Views Upon Marketing Control

VERNON, Jan. 10.—E. J. Chambers, president and manager of the Associated Growers, in an interview given his views on the effectiveness of the control under the Produce Marketing Act.

"On the question of the advisability of the effective control, there is no question whatever," he said, "that the grower is 100 per cent unanimous, but the value of the control exercised by the committee must be a matter of personal opinion. The grower or shipper who has quite a portion of his crop still in the packing house, who is paying storage during observations, requires support markets. It cannot be surprising that he might doubt the effectiveness of this year's control."

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Sweet Pickled Cottage Roll, per lb.	29c	Choice Mild Cheese, per lb.	29c
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Evergreen Peas, 2 cans for	25c	Solid Pack Tomatoes, 2 cans for	25c
Holman Apricots, 2's, per tin	29c	Rowat Scotch Pickles, quarts, for	46c
Tillson's Natural Bran, per packet	18c	Libby's Sweet Potatoes, per can	19c
Toddy, a real health drink, lg. regular 85c	49c	Nabob Pilchards, 2 cans for	25c
1 regular 65c	49c	Argood Tomato Catsup, per bottle	18c
Kadena Salmon, 1/2s, Special	15c	2 bottles for	35c
Horne's Extracts glass jars	26c	Icing Sugar 3 lbs. for	25c
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Local Turkeys, lb.	50c	Legs Pork, lb.	26c
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SINGER DIES

CHICAGO, Jan. 10—Isabella Columbo, Chicago child musical marvel of sixty years ago, died today. She was the first white child born in Auburn, Cal., and was brought to Chicago when she was three years old. Nine years later she had become the leading soprano of the Holy Family Church. The Chicago press, impressed by her voice, financed her musical education in Europe, where she later sang in Milan and London, and then returned to Chicago to achieve fame during the World's Fair in 1893. Afterward she appeared in concert throughout the country.

Her real name was Mary Scanlon. Services will be held tomorrow at Oak Park.

INCREASE IN POLICE STAFF IS REQUESTED

Chief Fry Asks for Six More Men in Order That Greater Protection May Be Given Outlying Districts

SAYS NEW PATROL WAGON REQUIRED

That the staff of the city police department be increased by six men was the request made to the police commission yesterday by Chief of Police John Fry, in presenting his annual report of the work of the department.

"I must again emphasize the fact," the chief said, "that the ever increasing traffic in the city, together with ferries and steamboats, and the necessity of detailing men from the regular staff in order to handle this traffic, very considerably reduces the number of men for general police work throughout the city.

"In this connection, therefore, I must again repeat my last year's request for an increase of six men on the staff, in order that more protection may be given on the 11 p.m. to 7 a.m. relief in outlying districts, which require better protection than can be given with the present staff, in the manner in which it is divided."

RAISE IN PAY

Chief Fry recommended an increase in pay for all members of the department, stating that the present rate of pay was far below that paid the police forces of surrounding cities. "We have to induce good, honest, straightforward men to fill the positions in the various departments," he said.

"I would recommend that one old motorcycle be replaced, and three new motorcycles be purchased, so that each constable can ride his own machine.

"I would also recommend that a new Ford touring car be purchased, to be used for general work and pay car, and the purchase of a new patrol wagon, which is badly required to replace the one in use at present."

COMPLAINTS INVESTIGATED

The chief pointed out that during the past year the department received 6,139 reports or complaints from citizens, which were investigated either by the uniformed or detective departments and results of same reported.

"During the year 171 bicycles were reported stolen, of which eighty-seven were recovered, leaving eighty-four unrecovered. In my opinion the responsibility for the theft of so many bicycles, in a large measure, rests with owners, quite a large proportion of whom leave their bicycles around without either being locked or without anyone to look after them.

"Speaking generally, the health of the department during the year has been good, the total number of days' sickness among the members being 279.

INSTRUCTION URGED

"I would recommend that Mr. Harrison, city prosecutor, be given $25 per month to instruct the officers and constables, either by lecture or by letter, in criminal cases.

"During the past year ninety-seven defendants were before the juvenile court on various charges. Six girls were committed to the Industrial Home for Girls, two placed on suspended sentence, one was discharged with a caution. Six boys were sent to the Industrial School, one was sentenced to six months imprisonment, thirty-nine were placed on suspended sentence, thirty-one discharged with a caution, three dismissed, and eight fined a total of $66," the chief reported.

Chief Fry's report, together with recommendations contained in it, the 1929 estimates and other matters, will be considered by the Police Commission at a special meeting to be held on Thursday night, January 24, at 8 o'clock, at the police station.

City Temple Board Delays Resignation Of Dr. Clem Davies

DUE to the absence of two members, caused by sickness, the board of the City Temple could come to no decision at its meeting last night with respect to the acceptance of the resignation of Dr. Clem Davies, organizer of the City Temple. A further meeting will be held Friday night, when a full attendance of the board is expected to deal with the matter.

COURT FINES TOTAL $2,474

CITY POLICE COURT CONVICTIONS NUMBER 150 DURING MONTH OF DECEMBER

Thirty-Six Accidents to Persons Reported—Automobile Mishaps Reach Total of 220

Fines collected in the city police court during December totaled $2,474, Chief of Police John Fry informed the City Police Commission at its first meeting of 1929 yesterday.

There were 150 convictions in the police court last month, seven persons were discharged, two were of unsound mind, and thirty-one were kept for safekeeping. The police patrol responded to 215 calls. The number of accidents to persons reported in December was thirty-six, in twenty-one of which first aid was rendered by the police.

The police court fines and costs last month were as follows:

	Fines	Costs
Assault	$ 23.00	$ 3.50
City By-Laws	418.00	
Found in gaming house	216.00	
Government Liquor Act	1,700.00	
Gov't Liquor Act (drunks)	175.00	
Indian Act (drunks)	40.00	
Motor Act	225.00	
Opium and Narcotic Drugs Act	248.00	7.50
Using obscene language in public place	20.00	
Totals	$2,474.00	$15.00

AUTO ACCIDENTS

Compellable accidents	
Autos colliding	161
Autos colliding with pedestrians	14
Autos and cyclists colliding	12
Total	187
Noncompellable accidents	
Autos and street cars colliding	19
Autos colliding with fences, poles, etc.	7
Autos running over dogs	2
Autos colliding with cluster light standards	1
Autos colliding with fire hydrants	2
Autos colliding with unattended bicycles	1
Autos overturned	1
Total	33
Number of persons reported killed or having received fatal injuries	1
Number of persons receiving serious injuries	6
Number of persons receiving slight injuries	19
Total	24

KILLED

Auto colliding with pole: John Burnett.

SERIOUSLY INJURED

Pedestrians struck by autos: John Jardine, Donald McKenzie, Mrs. M. J. Brown, John R. Hudson.

SLIGHTLY INJURED

Auto and motorcycle colliding: A. A. Corderey. Two autos colliding: A. E. Taylor, Mrs. Jones, W. H. Lundy, Frank Neel, Mrs. Cutforth. Pedestrians struck by autos: Mrs. Cutler, Miss Craig, F. E. Wood, Louie Sang, Mrs. J. S. Legusley, Mrs. Casey, George Burton, W. Walsh, Tom Wilson. Auto overturning: Mrs. W. T. Cotsford. Autos and street cars colliding: Massa Singh, E. Johnson. Auto and cyclist colliding — Painter.

INQUESTS

Number of coroner's inquests held during December, 1928, three.

December 19: S. J. Enander, found dead in room; accidental death by gas poisoning.

December 24: Wilfred Calvert, gunshot wound, suicide while mentally deranged.

December 27: Anna M. Sinclair, found dead in room; accidental death by gas poisoning.

THE FACETIOUS SPOUSE

Mrs. Hubbert—I wonder why so many people put their valuables under their pillows before going to sleep?

Mr. Hubbert—I don't know, perhaps they like to have a little money to fall back on!

This Life!

By J. H. Striebel

All alone with the cookie jar—the chance of a lifetime—eat, eat, eat—but the "sandman" comes along and the cookies are saved. May be a good thing for Sonny at that.

Benvenuto's Beauty to Be Safeguarded in Operations

Proposed Reopening of Tod Inlet Cement Plant Alongside Will Not Mar Lovely Gardens—B.C. Cement Co. Is Large Factor in Industry

If the state of the business of manufacturing cement warrants the B.C. Cement Company in reopening the Tod Inlet plant the company will install dust protectors, Mr. Edwin Tomlin, managing director of the company, said yesterday in mentioning that the company proposed to recondition its second plant in case of increasing demand for cement owing to construction activities in British Columbia.

This announcement will be of considerable interest to the thousands of citizens and visitors who visit the Butchart Gardens, through the courtesy of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Butchart, and fear any blemish on the beautiful estate by adjacent industrial operations.

Mr. Tomlin explained that it was proposed to reopen the plant, and in discussing the subject last evening with The Colonist, he said that the capacity of 3,000 barrels a day at Bamberton had not yet been reached, but by being ready to open at Tod Inlet, an additional 2,000 barrels per day could be manufactured. The joint capacity of both plants is 1,500,000 barrels per year.

The provision of the Tod Inlet plant will entail dewatering a quarry, and overhauling machinery.

The company, in wages, taxes, overhead charges, wharfage, lighterage, selling expenses and sundries, is distributing about $1,250,000 per annum in this province, and if Tod Inlet plant is opened the amount will be greatly increased. The company is the largest consumer of power which the B.C. Electric Railway has on Vancouver Island, using 3,000 horsepower at Bamberton. If the Tod Inlet plant is opened, it will require another 1,600 horsepower.

As a consumer of Island fuel it is an important factor, Mr. Tomlin pointing out that 40,000 tons of coal a year is consumed in the present plant.

Sir Esme Howard To Continue in Office Till 1930

WASHINGTON, Jan. 10.—Sir Esme Howard, British Ambassador to the United States, has been notified by the British Foreign Office that his appointment has been extended until February, 1930. His regular term would have expired next month.

Sir Esme has been stationed here for the last five years and is dean of the Washington diplomatic corps.

In British Columbia Court of Appeal

Chaplin vs. Chaplin—This was an appeal from an order of Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald under the Equal Guardianship of Infants Act, whereby the custody of the infant child of the parties was given to the respondent, the father of the child, who was ordered to place the child in the care of the respondent's mother. From this order the mother appealed. The child was then in Alberta. The parties both lived in the Okanagan district. There had been disagreements between them and they had separated. The appellant wished to place the child in the custody of her foster mother in Calgary. The Court of Appeal dismissed the appeal (McPhillips, J.A., dissenting). The interests of the child indicated that the parties should live together. Both parties were living in the Okanagan district and there was no evidence of intention of their changing. The father's mother lives there also, and, under the order appealed from, had the child in her care. The appellant's case was weakened by the fact that she proposed to send the child to Calgary and not look after it herself. The question with which the court was concerned was not primarily of giving an opportunity for the parents to see the child but of determining the course which was best for the child. The judgment of the judge hearing the case under consideration must be a discretionary one, dictated by the circumstances of the case. It is absolutely incapable of being brought under legal rules and definitions and should not be disturbed by a higher court unless there is a miscarriage of justice or a disregard of a point of principle. Mr. W. C. Moresby, K.C., for appellant, Mr. W. Warner for respondent.

D'Oria vs. Leigh & Cuthbertson, Ltd.—This was an appeal from a judgment of the County Court of Vancouver. The respondent was the patentee of a problem checkerboard. He had sold to the appellant certain boards and the appellant alleged that the goods were devices to be used for gambling purposes contrary to the Criminal Code, and declined to pay for them. The respondent contended that the board constituted an advertising medium and would induce and stimulate the sale of the appellant's goods, and that the game played on the board was one of skill. There were no disputed facts between the parties. It was necessary to determine whether the transaction was illegal, in which case the appellant would not be liable for payment for the goods. The County Court judge, after explaining the method of operating the board, came to the conclusion that skill must be used in working out the problem. There was an element of chance in deciding which problem, as designated on the board, should be played, but the element of chance had no real connection with the problem itself when played. The deduction to be drawn from the evidence was that any of the problems or games could be won provided the player had sufficient skill in the game of checkers to move his checkers skilfully. It was contended on behalf of the appellant that chance was the predominating element in the operation of the board and that the game was reduced to a guessing contest regardless of whether the player was of an average standard or an expert. The Court of Appeal reserved judgment.

Mr. A. L. P. Hunter for appellant, Mr. R. L. Maitland, K.C., for respondent.

With the Ex-Service Organizations

In Victoria and District

NAVAL VETERANS

The annual meeting of the Naval Veterans branch of the Canadian Legion will be held in the clubrooms of the Britannia branch, Johnson and Broad Streets, tonight at 8 o'clock. Election of officers will be carried out.

CANADIAN PRISONERS

The annual meeting of the Canadian Pensioners' Association of the Great War, Victoria branch, will be held tonight at 8 o'clock, in the clubrooms, 727 View Street. Election of officers will be carried out.

LOGS TOO BIG FOR B.C. MILLS

MILLS OF PROVINCE ARE NOT EQUIPPED FOR TIMBER OVER SIX FEET WIDE

Ottawa Order-in-Council Gives Permission to Dispose of Oversizes by Export

VANCOUVER, Jan. 10.—An order-in-council permitting the export of oversize logs which cannot be handled at British Columbia mills, has been passed by the Dominion Government, it is announced in telegraphic advices from Ottawa.

This order is the result of a report by E. Walmsley, of New Westminster, Crown timber agent, who has received representations from the Abernethy-Lougheed Logging Company, Ltd., seeking permission to dispose of oversize logs in the United States.

"Logs in British Columbia are sometimes so big that no mill in the province can cut them," a lumberman explained. "Mills in British Columbia have the equipment to cut only ordinary sized logs up to six feet in diameter at their largest point. An outlet must be provided, therefore, for the sale of the oversized logs."

FIFTY LOGS

Over a period of a year some fifty huge logs cut from the timber of the railway belt have accumulated at the Abernethy-Lougheed plant at Haney. They vary in diameter from six to nine feet, and in scale they measure from 6,000 to 12,000 board feet each. Many times the company attempted to sell them. Timber buyers came from all the coast mills, looked at the huge pieces and turned away. Their mills are not big enough, they said. Even one of the largest mills in the world, which has a ten-foot bandsaw, refused to buy. It has not the power to drag the log into the mill proper.

The company then applied to Mr. Walmsley. The logs have an approximate value of $6,000, and it is known that certain mills in the vicinity of Tacoma and Portland, Oregon, have the enlarged and peculiar facilities necessary to cut them. Now it intends to export them, after it has fulfilled the conditions of advertisement named in the order.

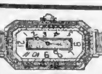
A policeman was walking his beat in a residential district when a badly battered house-to-house salesman rushed up to him.

"Say, officer," he panted, pointing to a red-headed iceman who had just climbed in his wagon, "I want that man arrested. Just look what he did to me!"

Stalking majestically into the street the policeman waved the ice-wagon to a halt, and demanded, "Did you hit this man?"

"Oi did," was the shameless reply. "What for?"

"Alienation av affections," replied the iceman. "He sold Bridget Nolan's missus wan av thim electric ice-boxes."



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Mr. Rockefeller, Jr., Opposes Re-election Of Colonel Stewart

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., has sent letters to stockholders of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana seeking their proxies for the annual meeting of the company in March to oppose the re-election of Colonel Robert W. Stewart as chairman of the company, it was learned today.

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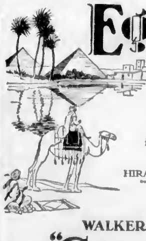

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Friday, January 11, 1929

AUTOMATIC TELEPHONES

The decision of the British Columbia Telephone Company to establish an automatic telephone system in this city is a striking indication of the new outlook on civic progress which has been an outstanding feature of the past six months. The expenditure that will be involved in the cut-over from the present to the new system will be in the neighborhood of $900,000. A building must be erected for the automatic equipment, new instruments must be installed all over the local service and what is proposed will extend beyond the confines of this municipality because the Gordon Head, Belmont and Colquitz exchanges, with the districts they serve, are all to be embraced by the new equipment. Therefore the area known as Greater Victoria will be included in the automatic service which will be in force by the Summer of next year.

The B. C. Telephone Company deserves congratulations on its enterprise and it is a matter of particular pride to Victorians that their city should have been chosen for the development in this respect on a large scale. The company believes, despite the heavy outlay that will be involved, that the improvement is warranted by the growth of the community and the excellent outlook there is for continued progress. Automatic telephones mean that less employees will be needed in the telephone exchanges but the company intends to look after those employees it now has here. For those who are not needed here, when the automatic system goes into effect, work will be found in other exchanges in the Province, and, as vacancies occur here, those employees will be given the opportunity of returning to fill them.

It is a matter of particular satisfaction that the moneys to be laid out for new equipment will be largely spent within the Empire. The great bulk of the apparatus required will come from England. As much as possible of the work to be done in effecting the change is to be carried out in the company's shops, and, of course, the new building to house the automatic equipment will be constructed by local labor. The confidence shown by the B. C. Telephone Company in the future of this community will be reflected in many avenues of progress.

A PIONEERING MERCHANT

The retirement of Mr. G. F. Mathews from active participation in the business affairs of McLennan, McFeely & Prior, Limited, is an episode of interest in the life of this community. For forty-three years Mr. Mathews has been actively and prominently identified in business in Victoria, and played his part in establishing that branch of it in which he was engaged on firm foundations. He joined the firm of E. G. Prior & Company in 1885 as a partner of the late Colonel E. G. Prior, and with that organization, up to and beyond the time of its recent amalgamation with McLennan, McFeely & Company, his active life has been spent. It has been a career satisfactory to himself and to the community in which he has cast his lot. Always following the highest standard of business life and imbuing such practice into those who served under him he earned the respect and esteem of everyone. The consequence is that he goes into retirement with many solid friendships, and with the best wishes of all Victorians, and especially of those who were associated with him in business ventures. Mr. Mathews put energy and initiative into the firm with which he was engaged so long and assisted in laying the foundations which have led to the expansion of its enterprise. He has proved himself one of those merchants who have contributed so substantially to the growing commercial importance of Victoria.

SALVATION ARMY CONTROL

Developments in the leadership and control of the Salvation Army are turning out as has been mooted for some time past. The High Council, now in session, has asked General Bramwell Booth to retire from the active leadership because of his health, as it is believed it is impossible for him to recover sufficiently to resume his labors. The assumption is that, owing to his sickness, General Booth will acquiesce, however much the proposal goes against the grain, and that hereafter the Salvation Army will be administered and directed by a Council or Commission appointed by the High Council, with General Booth, during his lifetime, retaining only the titular honor of the position to which he succeeded on the death of his illustrious father.

The career of General Bramwell Booth, the Salvation Army's head for the past sixteen years and the chief executive for many years before, has been a disappointment to those who predicted that this organization would break up after its founder and masterful director had passed away. The fact is that the eldest son took up his father's work and carried it forward, enlarging its field of operations and perfecting it into a world-wide enterprise of great cohesive strength. Not a flaming evangelist as was his father, General Bramwell Booth was a wise and gracious administrator. He harnessed the warm-hearted energy created by his parent and made the movement one of the most powerful humanitarian and redemptive institutions of Christian history. The Salvation Army is an illustration of the power of a great idea yoked with a great business ability.

The contribution the Salvation Army has made to modern life cannot be computed. It has stood for giving the worst man and the worst woman another, and still another chance. Its confidence in the restoration to good of the worst is founded upon its faith in God as the friend of mankind. In an age that has its full share of scoffers at the simple faith of the New Testament Christian, the Army has stood for and practised that faith. It has gone out to seek and save that which was lost, and many of its members are among the lost that were saved. Great as is its humanitarian work, it is a humanitarianism inspired by the redemptive spirit.

Of this redemptive spirit organized for humanitarian ends, General Bramwell Booth is one of the finest contemporaneous embodiments. He is a super-business man who has devoted himself to saving men. As an executive worth $50,000 a year he is content with $1,000. The "Gentleman With the Duster," termed him a fanatic. He is a "fanatic," who has a warm and joyous heart. Mr. Harold Begbie remarks upon his lack of pessimism. In contrast with the materialistic temper of today, which is cynical and pessimistic, is the buoyant, hopeful spirit of this man who believes in God with a great faith. An onlooker might well covet the gaiety of the Salvationist. In daily contact with the worst phases of humanity, he preserves a confident hope concerning humanity. General Bramwell Booth will stand in history as an administrator of a high order, who marshaled into step a vast company of men and women for the business of making God more real to mankind through the personal touch of loving hands. The throne of service and redemption which the first and second of the Booth dynasty built in the Salvation Army organization will endure.

MORE BRITISH IMMIGRANTS

Mr. Robert Forke, Minister of Immigration, confirms the statement made in dispatches that the immigration policy which has been followed by the present Ottawa Government, and which he has persistently defended, is to be radically revised. The new policy he announces is a marked departure in the direction advocated not only by Conservatives, but also by Bishop Lloyd, of Saskatchewan, and other disinterested critics, and condemned by Mr. Forke and his political allies.

It is a reasonable interpretation of this reversal of policy to say that the force of public opinion has made itself felt; that the Ottawa Government has been obliged to recognize, and to admit by its action, that the policy it sought to pursue has met with condemnation so general and so strong, that as an act of political prudence it is obliged to modify that policy; that it must, however reluctantly, take effective measures toward increasing the proportion of British immigrants and decreasing the proportion of immigrants from Southeastern Europe; and that it must abandon the pretence that such measures were not very much needed or were not practicable.

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., January 1, 1929.

TEMPERATURES

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	37	43
Nanaimo	35	40
Vancouver	30	40
Kamloops	22	38
Barkerville	26	24
Estevan Point	30	40
Prince Rupert	30	44
Dawson	12b	0
Seattle	30	38
Portland	30	42
San Francisco	42	52
Spokane (snow, trace)	24	30
Los Angeles	50	70
Penticton	21	31
Vernon	21	29
Grand Forks	20	25
Nelson	18	26
Cranbrook	5	16
Calgary	30	40
Edmonton (snow, trace)	8	34
Swift Current	8b	38
Prince Albert (snow, .40)	14b	4
Qu'Appelle	10b	30
Winnipeg	8b	0

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; continued fine, and moderately cold at night.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Generally fair, and moderately cold with fog at night.

THURSDAY

Maximum	43
Minimum	37
Average	40
Minimum on the grass	30

Bright sunshine, 2 hours 42 minutes.
General state of the weather, fair.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.41; wind, N., 8 miles, fair.
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.38; calm; clear.
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.44; wind, S., 4 miles; fair.
Barkerville—Barometer, 30.30; calm, fair.
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.22, calm, clear.
Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.34, wind, S.E., 8 miles, cloudy.
Portland—Barometer, 30.42; wind, N.W., 4 miles, clear.
Seattle—Barometer, 30.40; wind, N.E., 4 miles; cloudy.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.28, wind, N.W., 4 miles; clear.

AUSTRALIA'S EXAMPLE

Attention ought to be directed to the result of the election by which Mr. Stanley Bruce and his ministers have once more been entrusted with the destinies of the Commonwealth. . . . The Bruce who has just defeated a powerful Labor opponent deserves a place in the school books scarcely less prominent than that of the Bruce who studied the habits of spiders; not because of the defeat of this opponent, but because of his part in the making of the new Australia and his regard for Australia's future. . . On the declaration of his return to power he said he hoped that "until that triennial tragedy, the general election," came again all parties would sink their political differences and try to find a solution of the great problems confronting them. Our own general election is still comparatively far off, and we need not pretend to prophesy the result, but when it is over we should like to hear the Prime Minister, whoever he be, echo those words. Why should all parties in Great Britain not combine to supply Great Britain's needs?—Manchester Evening News.

CANADA'S NEW NAVY

Canada's Navy is about to be more than doubled. This does not mean that Premier King is doubtful about the Peace Pact he signed at Paris. Nor does it mean that Mr. King is not in favor of disarmament. In fact, the two new destroyers may be a distinct aid to the Premier's disarmament arguments. For what's the use of the Premier talking disarmament if Canada has nothing to disarm? However, if war should come again, which Heaven forbid, Canada will not trust to the new destroyers, to the League of Nations, nor to anything that peace pacts or disarmament conferences may produce. It will still live in hopes that the good old British Navy will be doing business as usual.—Toronto Telegram.

POST-GRADUATE

You taught me how to love. It is an art
 In which you've always shown the greatest skill!
 Your pupils (if your teaching does not kill)
Are widely versed in matters of the heart.

I learned too readily perhaps, whereat
 You made decision that my course should be
 A very short one—I have my degree.
I would cease loving now. Pray teach me that!
—B. Y. Williams in Boxort.

The author who speaks about his own books is almost as bad as a mother who talks about her own children.—Benjamin Disraeli.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

The problems of democracies are extremely complex compared with the problems of autocracies. The Kingdom of Jugo-Slavia is theoretically a democracy, but recent events have demonstrated that it is an autocracy. So when the King of Jugo-Slavia (a nation formed out of some of the little nations which comprised the late cockpit of Europe) found out that his kingdom was confronted with problems which his government could not solve, he dissolved his democracy and created an autocracy. His Majesty told his government to pack up and get out, and took the administration into his own hands.

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The political procedure in the great democracies is not so simple as that. Great Britain is a democracy, and it has difficult problems on its hands. The King cannot dissolve his democratic Government and take the administration of affairs into his own hands. The United States is a great democracy, in theory if not in practice a more complete democracy than the democracy of Great Britain. The United States is faced with some intricate problems, but the President of the United States cannot tell his Government to pack up and get out and he will "run the country" under a simpler and more effective system of government.

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The most difficult of the problems of the United States at the present time are Prohibition and the fruits of Prohibition. The problem of Prohibition is a gift bestowed upon Uncle Sam by the politicians, who are the ripest of the fruits of democracy. A majority of the politicians of the United States are not Prohibitionists either in theory or practice. A majority of the people of the United States may be Prohibitionists both in theory and practice. Whether Prohibition could be practically enforced if it were adopted as a national policy was not a matter of concern to the politicians. But Prohibition was a "great vote-getter," and that was a matter of the utmost concern to the politicians. So the politicians became ardent Prohibitionists, and Uncle Sam is directly indebted to them for the gift of Prohibition.

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The power of the democracy of the United States is almost fabulous, but great as that power may be, it is not sufficiently powerful to enforce the provisions of the Prohibition law. At least the Government of the United States admits it has not the power necessary to enforce the provisions of the Prohibition law, for it has appealed to foreign nations to aid it in enforcing the law by making laws and regulations conforming to the laws and regulations of the United States. The foreign nations have listened sympathetically to this appeal and have granted concessions to the Government of the United States. Great Britain has been the chief concessionaire and Canada has done what she could to help her helpless neighbor to solve his intricate problem. The United States has interpreted the concessions granted most liberally. It has taken advantage of the concessions so liberally that its agents have done things which in times not so very remote would have been considered wanton acts of aggression and might have resulted in very serious consequences.

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For instance, the agents of the United States have assumed that one of the concessions granted by Great Britain virtually established a new international marine law; but Great Britain has made the fact clear that it considers the ancient and well-established three-mile limit law still in complete effect. But whatever the Prohibition enforcement agents may do, there is not the slightest possibility of serious disruption of the present pleasant relations between Great Britain and the United States.

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The United States is at the present time asking for further concessions from Canada. Canada is being asked to lend further aid to the United States Government in its efforts to enforce Prohibition. In effect, the Government of the United States admits that the provisions of the Prohibition law cannot be enforced by internal measures, and it asks that the Government of Canada come over and help it to enforce the law by application of external measures. We do not know what the Government of Canada may do with that application; but we think we know what the Government of the United States would say if the Government of Canada went down to Washington with a request that the laws of the United States affecting trade and commerce be amended and made to conform with the laws of Canada. The Government of the United States would courteously say that as a matter of business and in the interests of international harmony and goodwill, the very best thing for every nation to do is to attend strictly to its own business. We surmise that when the United States announces its new fiscal policy, that will be the reply to any remonstrance that may be made regarding the effects of that policy.

An aerial ropeway car line 4,000 feet long is being constructed to the top of Table Mountain, South Africa.

MORE FASCINATING THAN FABLE

THE STARS

THE nearest star we know is 26,000,000,000 miles away—which is more than most of us can even imagine. But it would take an airplane going 100 miles an hour more than 29,000 years to fly to the very nearest star.

Though we do not see their motion, all of the stars are wheeling around through space. They are so far away that they look quite still to us except for a little twinkling that is due to dust in the air, which is not perfectly clear, ever.

But we can see that some of the stars look white, while others look reddish. And we know that the whiter stars are the hotter ones, and the redder much the cooler. Though if a person got within a few million miles of the very coolest, he'd be scorched to a crisp in an instant.

All of the stars we see at night, when the sky seems powdered with streaks of light, are not hot, however. The planets (there are seven beside the earth)—are those which seem to shine more steadily, instead of twinkling, and are much cooler.

The twinkly stars are suns, like our own sun, and it is quite possible that they have whirling about them, earths something like our own. But the steadier lights are planets, and these do not shine at night because of their own heat, but because they reflect the light of our sun back down to us.

The number of stars has never been counted, but it has been guessed by astronomers that at one time and from one place we can see about 2,000 of them on the most sparkling nights. With a powerful telescope, however, scientists have discovered as many as 219,000,000 so far.

Sometimes men have wondered whether plants or animals live on other planets, and they have concluded that the only ones which are neither too hot nor yet too cold are Mars and Venus. But so little is known of these (even when they are something over 35,000,000 miles away) that at best as yet, we are only guessing.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

THE SCHOOL ACT

Sir,—I am taking the liberty of forwarding a little more comment on the letter of Mr H. Hastings, this time replying to his criticism of the School Act.

After making a number of quotations, etc., he sums up the result of his study in four numbered paragraphs to explain just what it means. The first reads:

"1. Education must be provided, not only for people of British Columbia, but also for the children of any country who happen to be within the district, so long as they are of school age."

This is common to all British countries, and indeed to all progressive countries. Compulsory education has banished ignorance, superstition, to a large extent disease, and has raised us out of the level of the Dark Ages. We do not want to turn back the clock.

Paragraph 2 reads: "There is nothing to prevent a person acquiring an old, roomy mansion and turning it into a residence for children and advertising in the wide world for boarders with the promise of free education."

The reason British Columbia is not flooded with such institutions is because the whole civilized world is the field for such exploitation, and there would be no advantage in moving out of one "free" education area into another. The people who would be likely to send their children from one province to another for the purpose of their education are not the people who would be influenced to any great extent by the fact that it is free. I know of a number of private boarding schools in this city, many of whose pupils belong to other countries or places, but all are very modern in every respect and seem to have no difficulty in keeping their pupils in spite of the fees they charge. If anybody knows of any institutions of the kind your correspondent mentions, I should be glad to hear of them, because otherwise I shall think his argument useless unless there is something to apply it to.

Paragraph 3 reads: "If there is any sudden influx of a considerable number of tourists with children, although they will be non-taxpayers, school accommodation must be provided for them, even though they would only require the same for the limited period they happen to be here."

We are frequently told that the tourist provides Victoria with her greatest industry, and considerable effort is made to attract them. The tourist does not pay taxes direct, but it is tourist money that makes it possible for many Victorians to stay at home and pay them. The argument depends on an "if." The fact is, your correspondent has no idea how many tourists' children have to be provided with temporary accommodation, and is only doing battle with a "bogie" of his own imagination. There is probably never more than a dozen at any time in the whole school system, and seldom any in the High School.

Paragraph 4 reads: "Assuming that, in order to provide for free education for the children of tourists, we have provided buildings and teachers; another situation arises when these temporary residents leave, for the Act goes on to say that so long as there is accommodation, anybody over the age of sixteen years can demand tuition, free of cost, so that the teachers will have to be kept on."

There must be something wrong either with the Act or your correspondent's interpretation of it. I think he must have wandered into a section aimed at illiteracy. Again I offer the fact. Fees are being charged in the High School now to students over seventeen years of age, but adults may, if they so desire, sit in the junior grades of the public schools and obtain the rudiments of an education free of charge, providing the teacher or the board considers it has no detrimental effect upon the class progress or welfare. But your correspondent must have a wonderful imagination if he can see a flock of adults rushing into the places suddenly vacated by the little children of departing visitors, and thereby causing financial embarrassment to the board.

No doubt many faults could be found with the School Act; many that are not dependent upon "ifs" and remote possibilities, but to canvass these just now is only to obscure the vital issue confronting the citizens—the relief of the badly overcrowded condition at the High School.

ALBERT YOUNG.

2541 Fernwood Road, Victoria, B.C., January 9, 1929.

A CRACK REGIMENT

Sir,—No loyal subject of King George but must have felt commendable pride and admiration at the fine appearance of our home regiment, the 16th Canadian Scottish, when on parade at public functions in Victoria since its return from overseas.

Let me here say that as chaplain of His Majesty's forces, I have been frequently asked what is the difference between a battalion and a regiment? In general terms I may say that a battalion is composed of two or more companies under command of a captain or a colonel, a regiment is composed of two or more battalions under command of a colonel, a brigade is composed of two or more regiments under command of a brigadier-general. Two or more brigades constitute an army division, under command of a major-general, and two or more divisions constitute an army corps. A field marshal is the highest military officer. At the beginning of the late war the Governor-General of Canada was a field marshal of the British army. "Coming events cast their shadows before."

While the Highland regiments at the recent war added to the renown they gained for gallant deeds and brilliant heroism at Lucknow, Alma, Balaclava and Inkerman, none distinguished itself more than the 16th Canadian Scottish.

The origin of most of the Scottish regiments is a matter of history; but that of the 16th Canadian Scottish is of recent date, and as some are curious to know its origin, I may state that it was brought into existence for the world war, and was composed of a unit of the 79th Cameron Highlanders of Winnipeg, a unit of the 72nd Seaforth Highlanders of Vancouver, a unit of the Argyle and Sutherland Highlanders of Hamilton, and a unit of the 50th Gordon Highlanders of Victoria—our own city.

As the dress of these four regiments was different, each unit desired to retain the dress of its own regiment, it was no easy matter to satisfy all, and it was finally agreed to adopt a distinct part of the uniform of each of the four regiments, which is now the uniform of the 16th Canadian Scottish.

As the 50th Battalion Gordon Highlanders in Canada was organized the year before the war, in our own city, it may be of some interest to know that it originated from a meeting of a few Scotsmen in the Empress Hotel, who agreed to take steps to organize a Highland Scotch regiment in Victoria. When authority was secured from headquarters, recruiting began, and in due time Lieut.-Colonel A. W. Currie, then officer commanding the 88th Battalion at Work Point Barracks, was appointed the first officer commanding the 50th Gordon Highlanders. When war was declared, Colonel Currie and 485 of the Gordons left Victoria for Valcartier, the training camp, whence they went to the front. While the Gordon Highlanders were not sent to France as a regiment, drafts from time to time were sent and the nucleus left at the Willows Camp continued recruiting, and thus the Gordons sent nearly 2,000 men to support those at the front. The advance of Lieut.-Colonel Currie of the 50th Gordon Highlanders in Canada, to that of General Sir Arthur Currie, Commander-in-Chief of the Canadian Army in France, reads more like fiction than a fact.

After the 16th Canadian Scottish returned from overseas and were stationed at the Armory on Bay Street, Colonel Urquhart, who distinguished himself at the front, was in command. When he resigned, Colonel Martyn, efficient and popular, was appointed as commander-in-chief of the regiment.

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Jots From History

ADMIRAL George Dewey, the hero of Manila Bay, began his career as a lieutenant under Farragut in the Civil War, after graduating from Annapolis. His naval career was distinguished, and he had attained the rank of commodore, in command of the Asiatic squadron, when the war with Spain was declared. On May 1, 1898, he bottled the Spanish fleet in Manila Bay, and in the ensuing battle destroyed eleven enemy ships and captured the rest of the fleet, with great loss to the Spaniards, while not losing a single man himself, his only casualties being nine slightly wounded men. This feat stands as one of the greatest naval exploits in history, and in recognition of it he was voted the thanks of Congress, presented a sword and later the rank of admiral was restored, so that he might be so honored. In addition, by act of Congress, he was never put on the retired list, but remained in active service until his death. He died in 1917.

Rust and Frost To Be Overcome In Wheat Fields

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—Within the next few years Canadian experts will have developed scientific means to resist both frost and rust in the great wheat empire of the prairies and the new Peace River fields, Hon. W. R. Motherwell, Minister of Agriculture, said when addressing the first day's session of the Eastern Canada Fruit & Jobbers' Association here yesterday.

"Canada is a great 'next year' country," said the minister. He meant, he explained, that no matter what conditions of one time were, Canadian people had a habit of pinning their faith upon the future and working wholeheartedly for the prosperity of tomorrow.

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VERNON, B.C., Jan. 10.—Vernon branches of the Canadian Legion are inaugurating a campaign for the erection of a hall for permanent headquarters.

ADVISES DAIRYING

VERNON, Jan. 10.—W. T. Hunter, superintendent of the Dominion Experimental Station at Summerland, on a recent visit to Vernon urged the dairymen to secure first class dairy stock as the demand will increase tremendously and the production costs of butter fat are extremely low in the Okanagan Valley.

SENATOR ROSS PASSES AWAY

CONSERVATIVE LEADER IN OTTAWA UPPER HOUSE DIES IN GUELPH, ONT.

Succession to Leadership Said to Lie Between Mr. Lendrum McMeans and Mr. J. A. Calder

OTTAWA, Jan 10.—The death of Senator W B Ross will force the selection of his successor in the Conservative Senate leadership at the beginning of the session He desired to retire a year ago, but remained in deference to the wishes of his colleagues, who were unable to agree upon his successor.

When Sir James Lougheed died in 1926, it was evident to the Conservative senators that Senator Ross was the logical successor, being a sound constitutional lawyer and with a varied business experience. The late senator did not seek the position, was never happy in it, and would have gladly retired at any time. Last year failing health made him strongly urge that his successor be selected.

Those in line for the leadership are J. A. Calder, Lendrum McMeans, O. D. Robertson and W. B. Willoughby It unlikely either Senator Robertson or Senator Willoughby would accept if offered it, so the choice will be between Senator Calder and Senator McMeans, with the former having at present the strongest support.

DIES IN ONTARIO

HALIFAX, Jan. 10.—Hon. William Benjamin Ross, seventy-four, Conservative leader of the Canadian Senate, died at Guelph, Ont., this morning, according to advices received at his home here today.

Senator Ross succeeded to the leadership of the Conservative party in the Upper House in June, 1926.

William Benjamon Ross was born near Charlottetown, P.E.I., in 1855, of Scottish parents. He was educated at the public schools of Truro and Amherst, and at Dalhousie University, Halifax. Admitted to the bar in 1878, he rose rapidly and was created a K.C. in 1890.

He was summoned to the Canadian Senate in 1912, and appointed leader of the Conservatives in 1926. Senator Ross was governor of Dalhousie University; president of the Trinidad Electric Company, Commercial Trust Company and Camaguay Electric Company; vice-president of the Acadia Loan Corporation and the Halifax Electric Railway Company. He was also a director of the Porto Rico Railway, the Robb Engineering Company and the Montreal Trust Company. He is survived by his widow, formerly Miss Annie Mackay, of Halifax.

In 1881, Senator Ross went to Regina and practised law there. Among his clients was Gabriel Dumont, the rebel, an associate of Louis Riel

Later he came back to Halifax and went into partnership with Robert Sedgewick, afterwards a Deputy Minister of Justice and later a judge of the Supreme Court of Canada

Later still he became connected with several other law firms. He was actively associated with Hon. B. F Pearson in the formation of the Dominion Coal Company, and later the Dominion Steel Company. Subsequently he became engaged in the promotion of electrical street railways in the West Indies and Cuba For years he was an active member of the Liberal party and was closely associated with Hon. W S. Fielding until 1908 He disapproved of some of the appointments to the judicial bench. Later he was appointed by Sir Robert Borden to the Senate.

ARCHBISHOP TEMPLE ENTHRONED AT YORK

YORK, Eng., Jan. 10.—In York Minster today, in the presence of 1,000 clergy and 5,000 laity, Dr. William Temple was consecrated ninetieth Archbishop of York and Primate of England. For eight years Dr. Temple has been Bishop of Manchester. He is forty-seven years of age.

Obituary

MACDONALD—The funeral of Miss Catherine Macdonald took place yesterday morning from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, proceeding to St Andrew's Cathedral where service was conducted by Rev. Father Leterme in the presence of many friends The pallbearers were Messrs. C. W Geiger, George J. Jones, M. Lawless, A E Macdonald, W. A. Mulcahy and J. W Gillis. Burial took place in Ross Bay Cemetery.

FARRELL—The remains of Henry Farrell were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday afternoon, the funeral taking place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. F. H. Fatt officiating. The hymns sung were "Nearer, My God, to Thee," and "Abide With Me." Many friends were present, including a delegation from the A.O.F. Lodge. The A.O.F. service at the graveside was conducted by Mr A. Manson, P.D.C.R., after which the A.O.F. funeral ode was sung. The coffin was covered with beautiful flowers The pallbearers were Messrs. W. F Fullerton, P.D.C.R., James Tagg, P.D.C.R., and C. W. Jordon, P.C.R., representing the Foresters, and Messrs J. Cameron, W Elliott and R. Lewis, representing the Shipwrights' Union.

COWGILL—Funeral services were held yesterday over the remains of Mrs. Mary Sylvester Cowgill, who died last Sunday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital Mass was celebrated at the West Saanich Catholic Church by Rev. Father E. M. Scheelan. Many beautiful flowers covered the casket and many friends were present. Messrs. J. Nelson, J. Marshael, J. Hardie, J. Johnson, J Flynn and J Peley acted as pallbearers, and interment took place in the family plot, West Saanich Cemetery. The Sands Funeral Chapel was in charge.

BAYLIS—The funeral of Mrs. Theresa Mary Agnes Baylis was held yesterday morning, leaving the Sands Funeral Chapel at 8:45 and proceeding to Our Lady of Lourdes Church, where services were conducted by Rev. Father J. R. Buckley. The pallbearers were H. J. O'Leary, H. Hartnell, A. V. Watson, F. Wallace, J. M. Findlay and P. L O'Connell. Interment was made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

CURRY—The remains of Christopher Curry, who passed away last Tuesday, were forwarded yesterday afternoon to Vancouver, where the funeral will be held from Harron Bros. & Williams Funeral Chapel this afternoon.

NOBLE—Funeral services will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Sands Funeral Chapel for Mrs. Sarah Ann Noble, who died at the family residence, 2224 Hampshire Terrace, last Tuesday evening. Rev W. A. Guy will officiate and burial will take place in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetary.

RICHARDS—Funeral service for Mrs. Mary Richards, who passed away last Tuesday evening at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, will take place on Saturday at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel, and the remains will be laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery

STOVER—There passed away on Wednesday evening, at the home of his daughters 3468 Doncaster Drive, John Stover, aged sixty-five years. Mr Stover was born in Ontario and had been here for two weeks, coming from Edmonton, Alta. He is mourned by his widow and two daughters, Mrs Ernest Carter, of Doncaster Drive, and Mrs. Short, of Pibroch, Alta., also two sons, J. W Stover, of Los Angeles, and E E. Stover, of Winnifred, Alta. He was a member of the 138th Battalion, C.E.F., during the Great War The funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2 30 o'clock from McCall Brothers' Funeral Home Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park

HONG KONG, Jan. 10.—The Indo-China division of the Kelley Roosevelt Field Museum expedition arrived here today from Vancouver aboard the steamer Empress of France. The group is proceeding to Hanoi, Tonking, and will start for the interior about February 1.

MRS. FORD DIES AT ADVANCED AGE

Had Resided at Nanaimo, Maple Bay and Victoria—One of Earliest White Children Born on Island

Mrs. Mary Ford, of 123 Moss Street, who was born in Victoria on November 16, 1853, thus being one of the earliest white children born here, died yesterday at the residence of her son, Mr. O. C. Ford, 1226 North Park Street.

Her father was Captain George Greenwood, pioneer mariner, and she was educated at Craigflower School and Central School. At Nanaimo she married her first husband, Mr. Charles Fletcher, who was connected with early colliery activities there. They moved to Maple Bay, where Mr. Fletcher farmed until 1884, when he was killed in an accident by a falling tree.

She returned to Victoria and in 1891 married Mr. John Davidson Ford, builder and contractor, who died eight years ago.

She is survived by seven children: Mr Charles Henry Fletcher, Mrs J. A. Robb, Mrs J A. Smith and Mr. F. J. Fletcher, born at Maple Bay; and Messrs. George Carr Ford, James Greenwood Ford, and John Ford, of this city; one brother, Mr. George Greenwood, Vancouver, and one sister, Mrs. Sarah Scully, Long Beach, Cal.

The remains are reposing at the Thomson Funeral Chapel, where services will be held on Monday at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

SPEAKER-ELECT ARRIVES HERE

Col. Woods and Sergt.-Major Popham to Be Officers of Provincial Legislature

Mr. J. W Jones, member-elect for the riding of South Okanagan, arrived in the city yesterday. It is accepted as settled that Mr. Jones, at the opening of the Legislature, will be elected Speaker. In the carrying out of his duties, Colonel A. W Woods, of Gordon Head, will be named as sergeant-at-arms, with Sergt-Major Fred J Popham as deputy sergeant-at-arms.

Mr. Jones will leave next week for a few days in order to allow of attending the meeting of the Fruit Growers' Association at Penticton. This meeting will open on January 15.

The prospective Speaker has sat as a member of the House continuously since 1916.

Colonel Woods, who is expected to fill the post of sergeant-at-arms, has been a resident here since 1921, when he came to the city following the war and engaged in bulb farming at Gordon Head, where he makes a specialty of raising high-class tulips. He is a native of Ontario, and was residing at Winnipeg at the outbreak of the war He enlisted with the 90th Rifle Regiment of that city, the corps being known as "The Little Black Devils" He served through the war with them, being demobilized in 1918.

Colonel Woods has been president of the Saanich Conservatives for the past year, relinquishing the position at the last annual meeting.

Sergt-Major Popham is well known in the city of Victoria, where he carried on business for a long time He also is a returned man.

MUCH PROPERTY STOLEN IN 1928

Deputy Chief O'Leary Presents Annual Report of Detective Department—Asks Two More Men

Property totaling $27,200 in value was stolen during 1928 in Victoria, and of that amount $17,421, or 64 per cent, was recovered. Deputy Chief of Police H. J. O'Leary stated in his annual report to the City Police Commission yesterday

There were 135 automobiles stolen during the year, all of which were recovered Bicycles stolen totaled 171, and eighty-seven of these were recovered. Over 6,100 reports were attended to. There were 143 finger prints and photographs taken, and thirty-five identifications established. The approximate number of finger prints and photographs on file in the identification bureau is 62,000

Deputy Chief O'Leary said that the amount of money and goods obtained by worthless cheques was somewhat larger last year than in 1927.

"I would like to call to the attention of the merchants who are in the habit of cashing cheques, that if they would only notify this office before cashing the doubtful ones, they would save themselves money and keep this department from a lot of unnecessary trouble. Over $3,000 was obtained in this way during the year," he said

"Thefts of automobiles are increasing every year, there having been twenty-five more reported during 1928 than in 1927, all of which have been recovered In connection with bicycles, I would again recommend that steps be taken towards the compulsory registration and licensing of bicycles

"The number of crimes committed by juveniles is also increasing, and a great deal of time of the detective department is taken up in investigating them.

"We have had our usual influx of vagrants and loose women, but have done our best to keep them on the move. With our present inadequate staff, it is impossible to give attention to all except the most flagrant cases of this nature"

The deputy chief strongly stressed the urgent necessity of having two more men appointed to the detective department.

The work of the bureau of identification was outlined by Mr O'Leary who said that from 143 persons finger-printed for criminal purposes during the year, thirty-five were identified, after a search "of our files," as having previous criminal records in various cities of Canada, Great Britain, Australia and the United States. The bureau is at present exchanging finger print cards with Vancouver and Burnaby, B.C.; Calgary, Alta., and Seattle, and in addition forwards cards to the C.R.O., Ottawa: the Department of Justice Washington, D.C., and the B.C. Provincial Police.

SEEK CONTROL OF BICYCLISTS

POLICE BOARD URGES REGISTRATION OF OWNERS OF ALL BICYCLES IN CITY

Council Will Be Asked to Pass By-Law—New Police Constable Appointed on Probation

The City Police Commission yesterday adopted Commissioner Walter E. Staneland's proposal that the City Council be requested to pass a by-law compelling owners of all bicycles to register them at the City Hall, the owners to pay a small fee, and to receive a number plate to be hung in a conspicuous place.

Commissioner Staneland observed that there was an average of 200 bicycles stolen every year, and that without registration it was difficult to recover and restore them to their owners. Greater control of bicyclists was needed, and if licencing of riders was obtained, they would have to observe traffic by-laws the same as drivers of other vehicles were required to do.

Registration of bicyclists was in effect in Calgary and Winnipeg, and the system was working out well in these two cities. Licensing was good insurance for the owners themselves, he said.

Mr. Tom Stevenson was appointed to the police staff on probation for six months, at a salary of $110 per month The application of Mr F. J. W. Oak for a position on the police force was laid on the table The application of Mr. Harry Andrews, assistant janitor, for an increase in salary, was referred to the estimates committee.

Commissioner Staneland's recommendation that Broad Street, from Fort to Broughton Streets, be made a one-way traffic street, was left on the table, to be considered further at a later meeting.

Claiming that Sunday concerts had been held in Victoria within the last several months contrary to the Lord's Day Act of Canada, the British Columbia branch of the Lord's Day Alliance of Canada asked the commission to take adequate steps for the reasonable enforcement of this law. The matter was referred to Chief of Police John Fry for attention.

The presentment of the grand jury, advocating certain improvements to the city jail, was left over until a future meeting

NATIVE SONS' CONTEST OPENS

First of Trophy Debates Is Held on Questions of Canadian Provinces

A large audience attended the first debate of a series arranged under the auspices of Victoria Assembly No. 1, Native Sons of Canada, last evening at the Native Sons' Hall, View Street, when the following resolution caused a great deal of interest and some perplexity. "That it would be in the best interests of Canada if the present nine provinces were reduced to five. (1) West of the Rockies, (2) the Prairies, (3) Ontario, (4) Quebec, and (5) the Maritimes." After a short discussion and consideration, the judges, Mr. T. W. Hall and Mr. Robert Harvey, gave the decision in favor of the affirmative debaters, Mr. W. O. M. Rolston and Mr. W. H. Stokes Mr. Hall, in giving the decision, congratulated the speakers upon their lucid arguments, which showed careful preparation and a logical presentation. Various points upon which the decision was based were also given by Mr. Hall

The chairman, Mr. W. H. Creelman, president of the Native Sons of Canada, later expressed the appreciation of the debaters and audience upon this comment, which was so helpful to students.

Mr. Rolston stated that the question of the Maritimes uniting was first mooted in 1864, and the matter had been discussed frequently since that time He pointed out the provincial, geographical and racial as well as the industrial features. Amalgamation in the business world resulted in bigger returns on invested capital, for a saving in overhead followed by an increase in capital would be followed by cheaper production This argument he applied to provincial and municipal administration. Were the provinces to unite, there would be need for fewer officials and legislators to attend to the necessary work, and the result would be a saving of at least half the total cost of three provinces.

Mr. Stokes' argument followed along the lines of Mr. Rolston, the centralization of administration and the matter of racial population being dealt with fully

Miss Audrey Milne and Mr Geoffrey D'Arcy, representing the Normal School, presented their argument for the negative in a clear and concise manner. Miss Milne pointed out that while the provinces might appear similar upon the surface, they differed widely in regard to industries, resources and religion The expense of uniting, the uprooting of old traditions, and the difficulty to settling down after such an upheaval as union would cause, was a clear point against such a movement, she declared Provincial affairs could be settled more simply and economically by conference, she contended.

Mr D'Arcy also spoke of the expense which the uniting of the provinces would entail. What Canada needed for development, he stated, was population Development was hindered by lack of population.

While the judges were considering their decision, Miss Pike played a delightful piano solo.

Insurance Rates On Automobiles To Be Increased

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—Automobile insurance rates throughout Canada are to be increased shortly—as much as 80 per cent for legal liability and as much as 20 per cent for collision, it was announced here yesterday.

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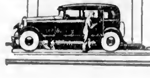

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Deep Sea Crab Meat, ½-lb. tins 28¢; 2 for 55¢	Ogilvie's Minute Oats, 6-lb. sacks 36¢; 20-lb. sacks $1.09
No. 1 Japan Rice, 3 lbs., 19¢	Wild Rose Pastry Flour, 24-lb. sacks $1.08
	Solid Pack Tomatoes, No. 2 tins, 3 tins for 32¢
Heinz Ketchup, 8-oz. bottles, 2 for 35¢	Heinz Prepared Spaghetti, 2 tins 25¢
Vi-Tone, 16-oz. tins 49¢	Nabob Pure High-Grade Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tins 52¢
Durham Corn Starch, pkt. 10¢	Pure Quebec Maple Syrup, large bottles 69¢
Empress Jelly Powders, all flavors, full weight, 4 for 27¢	Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour, 2 packets 35¢
P. & G. Naphtha Soap, 5 bars for 23¢	
Empire Brooms, reg. 85c, 59¢	

Watson's English Extra Dry Ginger Ale, pints 2 for 25¢; Per dozen $1.35

Sharp's English Rum and Butter Toffee, regular 60c lb. Special, per lb., 40¢; 4-lb. tins $1.50

Imported Swedish Brit Bread, regular 30c packets 24¢	Assorted Water Ice Wafers, regular 60c lb. 43¢
Melba Toast, 2 packets, 35¢ (Made from Whole Wheat)	Christie's Sodas, regular 50c tins 40¢
Vegetized Whole Wheat Wafers, per packet 23¢	Jacob's Lemon Puffs, regular 65c per lb. 48¢
Sweet Navel Oranges. Special, dozen 29c	Imperial Valley Grapefruit, 6 for 25c
Nice Juicy Lemons, doz., 19¢	California Cluster Raisins, per box 16¢
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California Head Lattuce, each 10¢	Fresh Cauliflowers, each, 20¢, 15¢ and 10¢
Fresh Celery, 25¢, 20¢, 15¢	Savoy Cabbage, 15¢ and 10¢
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Mild Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon, piece cut, lb. 33¢	Very Mild Cheese, per lb. 30¢
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FULL LIST OF REGISTRATIONS

Company incorporations for the week include the following with headquarters in Victoria: A. J. Woodward & Sons, with a capitalization of $50,000, Hiscocks & Clearihue as druggists, capitalized at $15,000; and The Safe Traffic Company of British Columbia, incorporated under the Societies Act, with headquarters in Victoria.

Other companies that have been incorporated are as follows: Aard, Limited, of Vancouver, capitalized at $10,000; Abbotsford Lumber Company, of Abbotsford, capitalized at $300,000; Barr's Golf School, of Vancouver, capitalized at $10,000; Benverdell-Tiger Company, of Penticton, capitalized at $200,000; Bluebell Mines of Riondel, B.C., capitalized at $2,000,000; Canada Rice Mills, of Vancouver, capitalized at $250,000; College Dairies 1928, of Vancouver, capitalized at $25,000; Constitutional Club, under the Societies Act, with headquarters in Vancouver; D. D. Orchards Company, of Vernon, capitalized at $100,000; Fred Mason & Company, of Vancouver, capitalized at $25,000; General Lumber Company, of Vancouver, capitalized at $10,000; H. Sigalet & Company, of Lumbly, capitalized at $60,000; Homothko Holdings, of Vancouver, capitalized at $10,000; Jordao Motors, of Vancouver, capitalized at $10,000; Kootenay Breweries, of Nelson, capitalized at $400,000; Kootenay Drug, of Trail, capitalized at $16,000; Krao Mines, of Nelson, capitalized at $500,000; Ornamental Bronze Company, of Vancouver, capitalized at $20,000; Princess Creek Mining Company, of Nelson, capitalized at $250,000; R. Gordon Heddle, of Vancouver, capitalized at $10,000; Shanahan Chemicals, of Vancouver, capitalized at $500,000; Western Fruit (Vancouver), of Vancouver, capitalized at $18,000; Ymir Women's Institute, of Ymir, under the Societies Act.

FINES IN 1928 SHOW INCREASE

OVER $17,000 COLLECTED IN CITY POLICE COURT DURING PAST 12 MONTHS

Convictions Total 1,931 — Nearly 1,780 Written Reports of Automobile Accidents

A total of $17,106 in fines and $185.80 in costs were collected in the city police court during 1928, the City Police Commission was advised yesterday by Chief of Police John Fry, in presenting the annual report of the Victoria police department. These figures are an increase of $1,356 in fines and $65.50 in costs over 1927.

There were 1,931 convictions in the police court during the past twelve months, sixteen were sent up for trial, 127 cases were withdrawn or dismissed, 281 persons were kept for safekeeping, and twenty-nine were of unsound mind.

The number of accidents to persons reported were 275, in 203 of which first aid was rendered by the police.

The Chief reported that there were 1,780 written reports of automobile accidents received by the department during 1928.

The number of persons reported killed or having received injuries in automobile mishaps during the year was as follows: Reported killed or receiving fatal injuries, 4; reported receiving serious injuries, 38; reported receiving slight injuries, 80. Total, 122.

There were twenty inquests held by Dr. E. C. Hart, the coroner, during the year.

OCEAN HIGHWAY GIVEN SUPPORT

Junior Chamber Will Join Senior Body to Urge Completion of West Coast Road

That the Junior Chamber should join the committee of the Senior Chamber in urging the completion of the West Coast Road, according to the original proposal, was the decision come to at the general meeting of the Junior Chamber held last night, after Mr. Claude L. Harrison had delivered an address dealing with the West Coast Road.

Mr. Harrison spoke of the importance of the completion of this road, not only for the purpose of bringing the West Coast settlements nearer to Victoria, but because of the scenic attractions that would be made available to Victoria's ever-increasing tourist traffic. He said that because of its scenic splendor and many marine views, the highway had become to be known as the Ocean Highway.

Mr. Harold Palmer, secretary, reported that the directors, through the efforts of President W. T. Straith, had obtained a donation of $250 from the C.P.R. and $100 from the B.C.E.R. Company toward the cost of housing buffalo from one of Canada's national parks for Beacon Hill Park.

The proposal that two buffalo be placed in Beacon Hill Park had been endorsed by the 1928 Council and it was understood, the secretary said, that the present council would provide the necessary labor if the Junior Chamber of Commerce arrange for provision of the materials required.

In the absence of President W. T. Straith, Mr. Walter S. Miles, the vice-president, presided over the gathering.

Used cars are now in such demand in New South Wales that dealers are offering cash for old cars.

City & District

Bank Clearings—Clearings at the Victoria Clearing House for the week ending yesterday, were $3,089,682 as compared with $2,348,089 in the corresponding week of 1928.

Prepare for Session—With only a week and a half intervening before the opening of the Legislature, the chamber is being put in order for the ceremony. The desks of the members have been massed together for the occasion into six tiers, and additional chairs are being put in place to take care of the invited guests.

Habeas Corpus—An application will be made by Mr. Stuart Henderson in Supreme Court at Victoria, before Chief Justice Gordon Hunter, next Tuesday at 3.30 p.m., for writs of habeas corpus on behalf of George Broder, John Henderson and James Stewart, who are attacking liquor convictions recorded against them in Vancouver. The three men were found guilty of having in their possession an illicit still at Pocahontas Bay, Texada Island.

MR. L. O'BRIEN GAINS DEGREE

Former Victorian Becomes Doctor of Philosophy at Columbia University, New York

MR. LOUIS O'BRIEN

Mr. Louis O'Brien, formerly of Victoria, and assistant to the Dean of Men at the University of California, has passed his final examinations at Columbia University, New York, and has been awarded the degree of Doctor of Philosophy (Ph.D.), according to word received here yesterday.

Mr. O'Brien, who is twenty-six years of age, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. O'Brien, 1070 Richmond Avenue. He received his early educational training in Victoria at Bank Street, Central and High Schools. He was graduated from the University of California in 1923, took his master's degree at Columbia in 1925, studied in Europe the following year, and then returned to California as teacher in the Department of History last year. During 1927 he was appointed assistant to the Dean of Men at the latter university.

Mr. O'Brien will return to the University of California at Berkeley to resume his work on January 15.

Deputy Minister Will Attend at Two Meetings

Mr. J. B. Munro, deputy minister of agriculture, left last night for the Mainland, accompanied by Mr. J. R. Terry, chief poultry instructor for the province. They are proceeding to New Westminster to attend meetings connected with the stock industry of the province. The deputy minister will attend the meeting of the Swine Breeders' Association, and also will be present with Mr. Terry at the meeting of those interested in the organization of the co-operative egg pool now in course of formation. At this latter meeting there will be taken up the question of what steps should be adopted for the completing of the membership needed to carry into affect the pool.

Captain O. O. Hunt, chairman of the Island committee engaged on the work, will also attend the meeting.

Influenza Epidemic In Glasgow Follows Ten Days of Frost

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Snow fell generally in England today, with tramway, postal and police services seriously affected. Glasgow is suffering from a serious outbreak of influenza following a ten days' severe frost, with thousands of victims, including many members of the public services.

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Men's and Women's Canadian Clubs, Tuesday, January 15, 8 o'clock, Victoria High School, Prof. W. M. Gage, M.A., Ph.D. Illustrated address "Early History of British Columbia."

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COUNCIL HEARS POLICE REPORT

OAK BAY HAS GOOD YEAR, ACCORDING TO FIGURES OF CHIEF JOHN SYME

Reeve E. C. Hayward Announces Public Meeting at Municipal Hall Monday Night

Property valued at $3,490.25 was reported stolen in Oak Bay during 1928 and of this property valued at $2,909.25 was recovered, according to the annual report of Chief John Syme, read at the last meeting of the 1928 Oak Bay Council last evening.

The 175 police court cases included streets and Traffic By-Law, 105; Motor Vehicle Act, fifty-six; offensive weapons, two; Poll Tax By-Law, two; criminal assault, two; stealing, two; assault, one; fire regulations, one; Government Liquor Act, one; Mental Hospital Act, one; Sign By-Law, one, and Income Tax Act, one.

Money collected amounting to $3,399 included trades licences, $1,350; police court fines and costs, $869; dog licences, $856; poll tax, $110; milk vendors licences, $90; road tax, $66; motor vehicle and drivers' licences, $38.50; pound fees, $8.

FURTHER DETAILS

One hundred and thirty-one unoccupied dwelling houses were looked after, and in every case found intact upon the return of occupants; 1,056 miscellaneous reports were attended to; 115 owners or agents were notified where premises were found insecure; 107 reports of motor accidents were received; seven persons were injured in motor accidents; seventy-five persons were notified to destroy noxious weeds; 169 motor drivers were warned for minor infractions of the Motor Vehicle Act, and one hundred persons were warned of infractions of streets and traffic by-laws.

The fire loss for the year was exceptionally small, amounting in all to $675.25, or a per capita loss of 12c on a population of 5,447. This is a large reduction from 1927 when the fire loss was $31,418. The loss for 1928 is well below the average and is due to promptness and good work done by the members of the No. 8 Fire Hall, Victoria, which attends to outbreaks in Oak Bay. Twenty-eight alarms in all were turned in during the year. These comprised five house fires, fifteen grass fires, seven chimney fires and one false alarm.

ACCIDENTS REDUCED

Chief Syme concluded by saying: "There has been a reduction in the number of motor accidents. It is also gratifying to note that Oak Bay still continues to live up to its reputation of being a law-abiding community, and the work done by the constables in keeping down crime has been done efficiently. In concluding I wish to thank the police departments of Greater Victoria, Victoria City and the Provincial Police for their valuable assistance on many occasions."

On motion of Councillor T. J. Goodlake, seconded by Councillor C. P. L. Money, it was decided not to submit a referendum to the voters on January 13 to decide whether a reeve should serve two years in office instead of one, as at present.

Reeve E. C. Hayward announced that a public meeting would be held in the Municipal Hall at 8 o'clock Monday evening at which the council, school board and police commissioners would give an account of administration during 1928.

WOODEN PIPES

Story Is Told to Engineering Institute of Canada by Mr. J. B. Holdcroft

Mr. J. B. Holdcroft, A.M.E.I.C., of the Pacific Pipe Company, of Vancouver, delivered an interesting address before the members of the Engineering Institute of Canada, Victoria branch, last evening.

The speaker traced the history of wooden pipes being used, the practice of utilizing this method of carrying water dating back a long way in history. Some were found in London, England, that had been used in the time of Charles I.

The largest wood stave pipe used on this continent was sixteen feet in diameter. This was manufactured in the United States. The largest one made in Canada was thirteen feet six inches in diameter. By means of slides the lecturer showed the construction of the stave pipes, and among the views was that of a pipe still in use which had been made ten years ago.

The use of wooden pipes for carrying water, sewerage, and waste was found to be good engineering practice. This was so because very often when such style of pipe was used, it was found that by the time the pipe had spent its lifetime a new system would have been required in any event to meet the changed conditions.

The illustrations showed the use of Douglas fir of three-inch plank used in some of the pipes with iron bands holding them in place, the iron bands being as large as three-quarters of an inch in diameter.

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UNDER THE CLOCK

City Hall Activities in Brief

TECHNICAL SCHOOL

Owing to the absence of Hon. Joshua Hinchliffe from the city yesterday, members of the City School Board were unable to interview him in regard to the Government grant toward a technical school for Victoria should the proposed by-law pass. The Minister of Education is expected back in the city today when the board will wait upon him, Mr. George Deane, municipal inspector stated.

PERMITS FOR HOMES

With the taking out of three building permits at the City Hall yesterday, the month's total was increased to $186,290 for the city, which, with the permits issued by the adjacent municipalities, gives the value of construction undertaken so far this month as $204,090. The permit for the new Jameson Motors, Limited, $25,000 building was taken out yesterday. To date seven permits for new homes have been taken out in Greater Victoria. They will be built at a cost of $25,100.

INCINERATOR COST

City Engineer F. M. Preston stated yesterday that the cost of installing the incinerator system of garbage disposal would be between $80,000 and $100,000, and that the cost of operation would be $30,000. The present system of disposal costs only $7,000 for towing to sea and dumping. It is because of the great difference in cost that the proposal from the Chamber of Commerce and Real Estate Board that incinerators be installed in the city is not being recommended by the public works committee to the City Council.

RAILWAY BOARD NOT FLUTTERED

READY TO FACE ALARMING PROSPECT DEPICTED BY RAILWAY COUNSEL

Chief Commissioner Declares Willingness to Create Precedent—Decisions Withheld

VANCOUVER, Jan. 10. — The Board of Railway Commissioners is ready to reverse any of its decisions on points of fact, and if in the case of the Marpole freight rates it is the opinion of the board that the two-line rate should be abrogated, the ruling will be made, even though it establishes a precedent which may involve abrogation of two-line rates in thousands of cases. This statement was made by Hon. H. A. McKeown, chief commissioner, when J. E. McMullen, appearing for the C.P.R., pointed out granting of the application of the North Fraser harbor board might pave the way for hundreds of such applications a year.

Hearing of the question of arbitrary rates on the Vancouver and Lulu Island branch of the B.C.E.R. occupied the entire sittings Thursday. At the conclusion of the argument, the commissioners decided to consider the case before bringing in a ruling.

TRAFFIC POLICE WORK REVIEWED

846 Prosecutions Instituted by Department in 1928, Inspector J. T. Boulton Reports

In his second annual report to the City Police Commission, Traffic Inspector John T. Boulton yesterday said that during the past year 846 prosecutions were instituted by the traffic department, 803 being in relation to traffic and forty-three for various other offences.

Inspector Boulton, who is head of the traffic department, stated that the motorcycle constables have paid special attention to the curbing of speeders and reckless drivers on arterial highways, the regulation of traffic to the races, hockey matches, etc.

The constables detailed for duty to the business area have given special attention to the free movement of traffic in this district, the proper parking of vehicles, etc.

"The traffic squad has regularly attended to the bank patrol, the escorting of large sums of moneys by the Canadian Pacific Express to and from the wharves, the boat traffic at the Canadian Pacific Railway wharf, the train and market traffic," Inspector Boulton said.

"During the year nine arterial highways were put in operation. Around the business district eight street car safety zones were established.

"There have been during the past year an increase of about 2,000 motor vehicles licenced to local owners, making approximately 12,300 motor vehicles, including about 210 motorcycles, in and around the city.

"During the year the C.P.R., Edmonds, Olympic and Sidney ferries carried 13,011 motor vehicles inbound, and 13,273 outbound.

"In conclusion," Inspector Boulton said, "I wish to state that the members of the traffic department have worked in complete harmony, and on behalf of the department, I respectfully take the liberty of making application for an increase in salary commensurate with the salaries paid to police traffic men of other Coast cities."

Two-Year Sentence for Forging Bank Drafts

VANCOUVER, Jan. 10.—Convicted of forging and cashing one of nine blank drafts, stolen from the offices of the Canadian National Telegraphs two weeks ago, P. Powley was sentenced by Police Magistrate H. C. Shaw to two years in the penitentiary.

Charged with a similar offence in connection with the same theft, P. A. Hanson failed to appear in police court and his bail bonds of $2,000 were ordered estreated and a bench warrant for his arrest was issued.

Powley was caught in a store where he had cashed a draft for $85. Five of the stolen drafts were found in his room.

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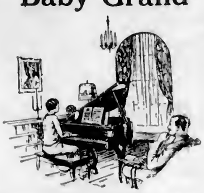

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All good—cast them aside!

The runner who is hampered in the race
Will all too soon be passed;
The steady stride and the untiring face
Must triumph at the last.

Six Countries Name Representatives on Reparation Inquiry

PARIS, Jan. 10.—The reparations commission late today announced the names of all but the American experts who will serve on a committee to revise the Dawes plan.

The names were announced: Germany, Dr. Hjalmar Schacht and Dr. Voegler; France, Emile Moreau and Jean V. Parmentier; England, Sir Josiah C. Stamp and Lord Revelstoke; Italy, Dr. Alberto Pirelli and Sig Suvitisch; Belgium, Emil Francqui and M. Gut; Japan, Togo Mori and M. Auki.

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Women's Work and Institutes

Women's Clubs and Societies

Prince Edward W.A.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Prince Edward Branch of the Canadian Legion held its annual general meeting on Monday night at its headquarters, Island Highway. The retiring president, Mrs Meredith Jones, was presented with four pieces of fine china by the auxiliary in token of the work she has performed during her term of office. The secretary, Mrs. Cooney, having presented the financial statement for the year, the election of officers and committees was held, with the following results: President, Mrs. Pennington; first vice-president, Mrs. Meredith-Jones; second vice-president, Mrs. Walker; executive committee, Mesdames Stephen, Mackie, Walker, Pearce and Cooney; ways and means committee, Mesdames Stephen (chairman), Saltmarsh, Meredith-Jones, Mackie, Cooney and Walker; sick committee, Mesdames Pennington and Cooney (telephone Belmont 66M). A vote of thanks to the retiring officers having been carried, the meeting terminated with the national anthem.

St. Alban's Ladies' Guild

The annual meeting of St. Alban's Ladies' Guild was held in the Church Hall on Tuesday afternoon with the vice-president, Mrs. Swan, in the chair, owing to the absence of the president, Mrs. Andrews. Rev J. W. Leighton opened the meeting with prayer. The annual report was read and adopted. The election of officers was called for, Rev. J. W. Leighton presiding, and resulted as follows: President, Mrs. G. Bridges; vice-president, Mrs. Baron; secretary, Mrs. Trickett; treasurer, Mrs. Ovendon. Arrangements were then made to hold a five hundred card party in the Church Hall on January 16. A Valentine dance was also arranged to be held on February 12. After the business meeting refreshments were served and a social time was spent.

Garden City L.A.

The Ladies' Aid of the Garden City United Church held its monthly meeting on Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Hobden, Gladiola Avenue, with Mrs. Terry, the newly-appointed president, in the chair. There were fourteen members and two visitors present. Mrs. James, of the flower and sick committee, was given the power to select helpers, and Mrs. Hobden and Mrs. Elliot were appointed associate helpers with Mrs. Brown, of the devotional committee. Arrangements are being made for a congregational supper to be held in the church on January 16. Tea was served by the hostess.

Sooke Ladies' Aid

The regular annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Knox Presbyterian Church, was held at the home of Mrs. B. Acreman on Wednesday afternoon, with a good attendance of members. Mrs. S. Lundie presided. The annual report for the year was read and adopted. Election of officers for the coming year was called for and it was passed unanimously that the officers of the past term again take charge for the coming year, namely, Mrs. S. Lundie, president; Mrs. R. J. Mugford, vice-president; Mrs. A. Kohout, secretary. Tea was served by the hostess.

Holy Trinity, Cumberland, W.A.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of Holy Trinity Anglican Church was held in the Church Hall on Tuesday night, a large number of members being present. After the report of the retiring president had been received, the election of officers took place, Mrs. John Conway being unanimous elected president, with Mrs. H. Bryan, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. J. R. Gray, Dorcas secretary, and Mrs. E. D. Pickard, literary secretary.

Daughters of British Columbia

The monthly meeting of the Native Daughters of British Columbia, Post No. 3, was held on Tuesday evening at the Victoria Club, Campbell Building, with the chief factor, Miss L. Bowron, in the chair. The attendance prize was won by Miss Jessie Widdowson.

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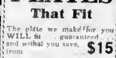

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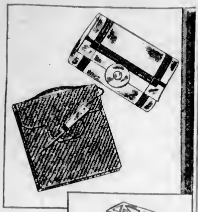

DIFFERING from the handbag for sports or for wear with the tailleur and that of the formal evening type is the dressy purse of which every woman has need to accompany the luxurious fur coat and the charming feminine afternoon dress. There have been many launched at various periods, but this season odd shapes distinguish these bags and place them in the classification of things entirely new.

The dressy bag is one any male may well pounce upon as an ideal gift, a bag being one of those accessories the sometimes unimaginative sex is wont to choose. Did not almost every soldier who returned from the shores of France bring several of the brilliantly beaded genre for Christmas presents. This season the afternoon bag will of a certainty have an inspired and enthusiastic reception.

These bags are not particularly fancy. They combine practicability with beauty. Such is the well-liked envelope pouch sketched with an all-over embroidered and applied design on suede or leather. The pouch of mountain goat shirred into a frame in silver or gold finish is a handsome shape.

A very new bag is the black model shown with slightly curved top and a thumb ring so that it may be carried like an envelope if desired.

Two very smart interpretations are envelope types of couturier sponsoring. A neat little bag from Louise Boulanger is of pigskin with trimming of perforated leather in brown to accent the two-tone combination and decorated further with a huge disc metal clasp.

Patou's distinctive envelope is developed in a diagonal tweed, which is a Rodier fabric, in which is interwoven a gold metal thread. Its fastening is an interesting novelty—a gold metal, dagger-like piece thrust through a loop of brown leather.

The sixth bag is the newest evening shape, a little barrel with zipper closing. It is roomy, frameless, soft and easy to handle and is shown in velvet and in metal brocades with pearl showers adorning each end.

Holy Trinity, Sooke, W.A.

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Holy Trinity Church, Sooke, was held at the home of Mrs. F. Butler on Wednesday afternoon, January 9. In the absence of the president, Mrs. J. J. Hawkins, Mrs H. L. G. Austin presided at the meeting. After the business was disposed of an enjoyable social afternoon was spent. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Butler, assisted by Miss D. Butler.

Queen Alexandra Review

A meeting of Queen Alexandra Review, No. 1, was held in the K. of C. Hall on Monday. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Ritchie, who is ill, Mrs. Veitch, vice-president, presided. It was decided to install the officers for 1929 on Monday, February 4, when Mrs. Lora W. Baker will be asked to attend. A practice will be held in Stephens' Hall, 1230 Government Street, on Monday next at 7.30 o'clock.

Colwood W.A.

The monthly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary was held in the Colwood Hall on Wednesday afternoon with a good attendance. Two new members were welcomed to the branch. It was decided to hold a card party in the Colwood Hall on Thursday, February 7, further details to be announced later. At the conclusion of the meeting afternoon tea was served by Mrs. D. Ruddle and Miss James.

Carne Rebekah Lodge

Carne Rebekah Lodge No. 45 will meet in the Oddfellows Hall, Douglas Street, tonight. Installation of officers being the order of business. Mr Claude Pottinger, with ticket 118, won the picture that was recently drawn for in connection with the sale of work.

Catholic Women's League

The Victoria subdivision of the Catholic Women's League is giving a five hundred party at 8 o'clock this evening in the K. of C. Hall, under the convenership of Mrs. J. L. Thompson. Table prizes and tombola prizes will be competed for.

Daughters of England

The business meeting of Lodge Primrose, No. 32, Daughters of England, will be held at 7.30 o'clock tonight in the S.O.E. Hall, Broad Street. Installation of officers will take place.

Oak Bay League

The Oak Bay subdivision of the Catholic Women's League will hold a bridge and five hundred party on Friday evening, January 18, at 8 o'clock, in the Parish House, 2060 Haultain Street.

King's Daughters

The King's Daughters will mark the forty-third anniversary of the founding of the order by attending morning service at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

T.V.A. Auxiliary

The Ladies' Auxiliary to the T.V.A. will hold a sale of work and a tea, followed by court whist, at Stephens Hall, Government Street, today, at 2.30 p.m.

Y.W.C.A. Bible Class

The Young Women's Bible Class will be held in the Y.W.C.A. at 4.30 o'clock on Sunday afternoon.

Lord David Burghley Weds Lady Mary Scott

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Lord David Burghley, son and heir of the Marquis of Exeter and famous hurdler and Olympic champion, and Lady Mary Scott, daughter of the Duke of Buccleuch, were married this afternoon in the oldtime church of St. Clement Danes on the Strand. The occasion was the first society wedding to be solemnized on the Strand in many years.

Lord Martin Cecil acted as best man for his brother. The Bishop of Blackburn officiated, and the church was thronged with a fashionable crowd among them being a large number of athletes and other sporting figures who were included in the 900 persons invited to the wedding.

The bride is a goddaughter of Queen Mary, who had been expected to be present had not King George's illness intervened. Two members of the royal family, Princess Mary and the Duke of Gloucester, sent presents.

Lord Burghley won the intercollegiate hurdle championship in America three years ago and the 400-metres hurdles title at the last Olympic games. The bride is interested in sports and is known as a brilliant horsewoman.

GRAIN MOVEMENT FROM VANCOUVER

Season Export Total Now Set at 43,045,458 Bushels—Cargoes Moving

VANCOUVER, Jan 10.—A total of 3,525,816 bushels of grain was loaded during the week up to 8 a.m. today, according to figures issued by the Vancouver Board of Harbor Commissioners. This brought the season export total to 43,045,458 bushels, as compared with 25,272,046 bushels in the corresponding period last season.

A slight reduction is shown in elevator stocks, which total 7,482,000 bushels. There are ships in port to load 3,865,000 bushels. Bookings call for a movement of 9,667,000 bushels between now and the end of January.

There are approximately 3,500,000 bushels of grain on rail lines in British Columbia, heading this way or in terminals here.

STUDIO IS SCENE OF PRESENTATION

The studio of CFCT presented an interesting scene when the presentation of prizes to the luck winners in the children's Christmas competition took place. The young contestants were present, accompanied by their parents and friends, and had the opportunity of watching Auntie Babs, "Story Lady of CFCT," in action.

The following is the short speech by Mr. Harold M. Diggon, given just before the presentation ceremony.

"Once again it is my pleasure and privilege to present the prizes in the annual competition for young folks, held under the auspices of Victoria's radio broadcasting station.

"On this occasion we are meeting in the station's new studio, and I take this opportunity to congratulate the management of CFCT on the splendid improvements they have effected. The new studio is nearly three times as large as the old one, yet it is cosy and comfortable. There is an old-fashioned fireplace with blazing logs radiating a warm glow, making one feel that one is in a comfortable sitting-room. Indeed, were it not for this wonderful little instrument, the 'mike,' the illusion would be complete.

"Before actually presenting the prizes, I wish to compliment all the competitors on the excellence of their entries. I say 'all' the competitors advisedly, because this has been a very close contest. The judges found it difficult in most cases to decide as to the winner, so that those who have not been successful should not feel discouraged. There was a very small margin indeed between the marks of those who won and those who did not."

TIMBER WOLVES TO HOLD ANNUAL REUNION FEB. 2

Ex-members of the 102nd Battalion (Timber Wolves) from different parts of the province and the United States are expected to gather here on Saturday, February 2, for the fourth annual reunion, which will be held at the Chamber of Commerce. This year's function will take the form of a smoker, instead of a banquet, as in past years. Major K. S. Spurgin, who was second in command of the battalion while on active service, will preside.

Arrangements are in the hands of the following committee: J. J. Blair, F. J. Merriman, J. Cassidy, J. Foster, P. Sparks and H. Palmer.

Tickets, which are being printed, will go on sale at the Chamber of Commerce next Monday.

Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

COLWOOD

COLWOOD, Jan. 10.—The special meeting of the Colwood Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. S. Goodall, Arbutus Avenue, on Tuesday afternoon. The programme for the year was outlined, after which a delightful tea was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. J. Goodall.

GARDEN CITY

The next card party of the Garden City Women's Institute will be held on January 16, and not January 11 as previously announced by mistake.

LANGFORD

At a special meeting of the Women's Institute held in the hall on Tuesday afternoon, the business of the adjourned annual meeting was resumed. It was voted, in response to a letter from Mrs. Pitts regarding the payment of the confederated per capita membership fee, that the payment for 1928 be made. The secretary was authorized to pay the water and electric light bills each month as they fall due. A vote of thanks to Mr. W. Savory and Mr. J. L. Brown for help, in installing the water was passed. Mrs. E. H. Phipps was empowered to assist the librarian in looking up stray books and collecting fines from those who kept the books of the traveling library too long. A letter from Mrs. Bond regarding the glove-making class was read and each member of the class is to bring a pencil, ruler, a pair of sharp scissors and a large handkerchief or sewing apron. Mrs. J. L. Brown then vacated the chair, which was occupied by Mrs. J. D. Gordon during the election of the directors. As a result of the election, Mrs. J. L. Brown was re-elected president; Miss L. Savory, vice-president; Mrs. A. Cowie, Mrs. W. T. Dixon and Mrs. P. N. Welch, directors. A letter from Mrs. Longmire, of Port Arthur, a former member, was read and much appreciated. A clipping showing the price of bread in other parts of the world also brought up an interesting discussion regarding the local price of certain British Columbia products, during the period when the scrutineers were counting the ballots. Mrs. J. D. Gordon also showed some new sewing stitches and she was asked to give a demonstration of this work at the regular meeting on January 22. A card of greetings from the district board was also read. Refreshments were served by the retiring directors.

Australia Anchors Off Bombay Harbor

BOMBAY, Jan. 10.—The Empress of Australia, one of the biggest ships ever to anchor off Apollo Bunker, is again at Bombay paying her second visit to this port as a round-the-world cruise liner. She arrived here at 7 o'clock this morning, commanded, as last year, by Captain R. G. Latta, and was met by tenders which brought her four hundred passengers quickly ashore. The Empress of Australia will remain here until January 17. She sails for Colombo to continue her voyage from the Ceylonese port on January 24.

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.60 Lysol 44¢
1.00 Mother Seigel's Syrup 77¢
1.25 Swaizema 73¢
.50 Dr. Reid's Eczema Ointment, 27¢
.50 Hind's Honey and Almond Cream at 32¢
.25 Benzo-Almond Cream 14¢
1.50 Fellows' Syrup 97¢
.50 Pond's Creams 29¢
1.25 Dr. Miles' Nervine 74¢
1.50 Virol, 16 oz. $1.11
1.00 Glover's Mange Medicine 58¢
1.25 Absorbine Junior 83¢
.50 Painkiller Ointment 32¢
.50 Dr. Reid's Cherry Cough Balsam 27¢
.15 Lux 9¢
.75 Dr. Reid's Vanishing Cream, 38¢
.75 Dr. Reid's Rejuvenating Cold Cream 38¢
.75 Zodine (the super liniment), 54¢
2.00 Vacuum Kits (complete) 99¢
.40 French Castile Soap, per bar, 24¢
.50 Pebeco Tooth Paste 29¢
1.50 Wilson's Port Wine 99¢
1.25 Fountain Syringe 74¢
1.00 Combination Attachment Sets for 52¢
2.00 Hot Water Bottle $1.16
.50 Californian Poppy Night Cream for 32¢
.50 Dr. Reid's Syrup of Figs 26¢
1.40 Adlerika 77¢
.50 Po-Go Rouge 29¢
.60 Scrubbs' Cloudy Ammonia, 36¢
1.00 D.D.D. 61¢
1.50 Bovril, 8 oz. 98¢
.35 Dr. Reid's Liniment (Healing Balm) 21¢
1.00 Alkia Saltrates 77¢
.50 Rendel Bath Saltrates 32¢
1.25 Moone's Emerald Oil 73¢
1.00 Nuxated Iron 72¢
1.00 Beef, Iron and Wine 53¢
.25 Dr. Reid's Baby's Own Syrup 14¢
.35 Mum 21¢
.25 Dr. Reid's Little Liver Pills 13¢
.25 Sloan's Liniment 42¢
.50 Dr. Reid's Pyorrhea Mouth Wash 25¢
1.25 Pinkham's Compound Vegetable Tablets 87¢
1.00 Dr. Reid's Preparation of Cod Liver Extract for 54¢

$1.25 Eno's Fruit Salt 72c

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.80 Banquet Sweets, 1-lb. box 59¢
.60 Banquet Chocolates, 1-lb. carton for 39¢
.80 Banquet Ruff Dipt Chocolates, 1-lb. box 59¢
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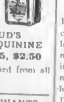

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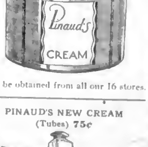

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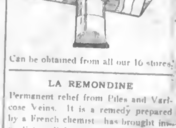

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Social and Personal

Personals, Parties Visitors

Premier Entertains

Premier Tolmie entertained last evening at a dinner in the Union Club. The invited guests included His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, members of the Senate and the House of Commons in the city, members of the Provincial Cabinet and the members-elect for the Legislature in Victoria, and a few others.

Shower for Bride-to-Be

Miss Evelyn Wilkinson, daughter of the late Mr. George Wilkinson, chief inspector of mines, and granddaughter of Mrs. James Tunstall, Victoria Road, Nanaimo, who is to be married on January 12 in Victoria to Mr. James Rowan, was the recipient of many beautiful gifts at a shower given by her aunt, Mrs. William McEwan, Tuesday evening, in Nanaimo. Little Isabel and Allan Corlett drew a heavily laden wagon and basket into the artistically decorated drawing-room and handed the presents to the bride-elect. The evening was pleasantly spent in games, music and contests. Miss Wilkinson will make her future home in Victoria.

Married in Vancouver

The marriage of Miss Caroline (Ina) McGeorge, adopted daughter of Mrs. J. Sankey, late of 637 St. John Street, Victoria, to Mr. Wallace C. (Wally) Alexander, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Alexander, 1043 Pandora Avenue, Victoria, was performed at Central Church, Vancouver, B.C., on Friday evening, January 4, at 7:30 o'clock. Rev. J. R. Wilson officiated. The bride was attired in a pastel shade of blue satin and silver lace and wore a silver bandeau. Mrs. E. G. Clayards, sister of the bride, was matron of honor. Mr. R. Lindey supported the groom. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander will reside on the Mainland.

Tea Hostess

Mrs. A. J. Gray, St. Patrick Street, entertained at a tea party on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Andrew Gray. The tea table was attractively arranged with pink chrysanthemums and candles to match. The other guests included Mrs. Angus Campbell, Mrs. F. Moore, Mrs. Gordon Kenning, Mrs. J. A. Turner, Miss Jennie Turner, Mrs. H. Goulding Wilson, Mrs. W. Scott, Miss Dorothy Scott, Mrs. James Gray, Mrs. E. F. Stephenson, Mrs. Brook Stephenson, Mrs. W. M. Carmichael, Mrs. David Miller and Miss Mona Miller.

Entertains Friends

Miss Leslie Macdonald entertained at tea at 330 Moss Street, when her guests included sixteen of her school friends. Guessing contests, music and dancing were enjoyed. The following were present: Misses Frances and Adrienne Mellor, Doreen Maynard, June Maynard, Helene Stevens, Florence Siddall, Veronica Stevenson, Kathleen Sceats, Freda Green, Margaret Goldsmith, Lucy Hussey, Doreen Kinsman, Helen and Nellie Johnson.

Dinner on Board Ship

Lieut.-Commander and Mrs. R. W. Wood entertained at dinner last evening on board H.M.C.S. Vancouver, in honor of Commander and Mrs. P. W. Nelles, who will leave this month for the East. The guests include Miss Helen Mackenzie, Lieut.-Colonel and Mrs. F. Gilman, Mrs. Blake Burrill, Mr. Sydney d'Esterro and Lieut. Wright.

Bridge Party

Mrs. Gilver Pauline, Foul Bay Road, was hostess with two tables of bridge yesterday afternoon, and additional guests for tea. The invited guests included Mrs. W. A. R. Hadley, Mrs. W. M. Carmichael, the Misses Mary and Margaret Campbell, Miss Marion Wilson, the Misses Helen and Norah Wilson, Miss Phyllis Fowler, Miss Alice Cotton, Miss Helen Forman, Miss Anna McBride, Miss Phyllis Barton and Miss Norma Macdonald.

Leaving for Saint John

Mrs. Andrew Gray will leave for Saint John next Tuesday to meet her son-in-law and daughter, Major and Mrs. L. H. Hughes, and children, who are returning to Canada from Quetta, India. They will be stationed at Kingston.

Entertain at Sooke

On Wednesday afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. A. Campbell, "Argyll," Sooke, entertained His Honor Lieutenant-Governor R. Randolph Bruce, Miss Mackenzie and Mr. A. M. D. Fairbairn. Mrs. J. J. Hawkins assisted the hostess at the tea hour.

To Arrive Here

The Earl and Countess of Liverpool, of Hartsholm Hall, Lincolnshire, England, are expected to arrive here shortly and will be joined by their cousins, Mrs. Vivian Inglis and Mrs. E. W. Basett.

At Beach Hotel

Mrs. G. S. Smith and her two children and Miss E. Bettelley, are here from Vancouver and are staying at the Beach Hotel.

Bridge Tea Given

Mrs. W. H. Vickars was a recent hostess at a bridge tea at her home on Moss Street. Mrs. Harry Hinton won the prize.

Returns Home

Miss Evans, who has been staying at the Guest House, Oak Bay, returned yesterday to her home in Vancouver.

Leaves for Vancouver

Mr. W. G. Hurtley, who has been holidaying in Victoria and staying at the Guest House, has returned to Vancouver.

At Guest House

Mrs. Cramer and her two daughters have arrived from Portland, Ore., and are staying at the Guest House, Newport Avenue.

In Montreal

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Hanson are among Victoria guests at the Windsor Hotel in Montreal.

At James Bay Hotel

Mr. R. E. Webster, of Midnapore, Alberta, is registered at the James Bay Hotel.

Port Renfrew News

The weekly whist party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Beauchene, where a most enjoyable evening was spent. Music and dancing carried the party into the small hours.

Miss Beauchene is spending a holiday at Port Renfrew with her parents.

Mr. Reg Harrison is visiting his sister, Mrs. Roy Ash.

Mr. and Mrs. Lindner returned to Port Renfrew by the last trip of the Maquinna.

Mr. Harold Baird, who went to Victoria for an operation, is now back and well again.

Uncle Will had sent little Marjory a bottle of lavender water. "Well, Marjory," he said, "how did you like the perfume I sent you?"

"It was all right," conceded the child, "but I like lemonade better."

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont

An interesting shirring treatment on shoulders and back is a feature of this lovely evening cape of ivory velvet. Which fabric, by the way, is becoming smarter each season for formal wear.

The collar and cape band are of sable, lending a rich contrast to the cape. Worn over an ivory satin gown the cape adds the note of luxury so important in the formal mode this season.

Courtenay Personals

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wall left on Monday for Vancouver, en route for Australia by Ss. Niagara. They have been visiting Mr. Dan Kilpatrick for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. White, of Happy Valley, have returned home after visiting his old home in Pennsylvania and other Eastern States.

James Island Socials

Messrs. George and Frank Aldous returned home on Sunday, having been visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Aldous, of Qualicum Beach.

Miss Dorothy McNaughton spent the week-end in Victoria.

Mrs. J. Biller, and her son and daughter, John and Jill, who have been the guests of Miss M. Allen, have returned to their home in Victoria.

At the progressive bridge, held at the Moore Club, the prizes, which were very kindly donated by Mr. and Mrs. James Clegg, were won by Mrs. E. Rivers, Mr. G. M. Richards, Mrs. W. G. Milsted and Mr. W. J. Sanders.

Miss Nan Thompson, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Thompson, has returned to Victoria to resume her studies at the Sprott-Shaw School.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. C. W. Holland was hostess at a very delightful bridge tea for Mrs. T. Whalen, who is soon leaving the Island to reside in Victoria. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thatcher, Mrs. T. Whalen, Mrs. A. J. Peirce, Mrs. James Clegg, Mrs. M. J. Kirk, Mrs. A. E. Emmens, Mrs. S. E. Bradley, Mrs. W. G. Milsted, Mrs. E. Rivers, Mrs. W. J. Sanders, Mrs. J. W. Van Norman, Miss M. Allen, Mrs. H. F. Noakes, Mrs. A. J. Dakin, Mrs. W. Rivers and Mrs. D. A. McNaughton. After refreshments had been served, Mrs. C. W. Holland presented to Mrs. Whalen a small gift for remembrance from the guests present. Mrs. Whalen was very pleased with the present, which took the form of a photographic album, in which everyone had put a snap-shot. The prizes were won by Mrs. W. S. Thatcher, Mrs. S. E. Bradley; and the guessing competition by Mrs. H. F. Noakes.

Mr. Clifford Prentice, who has been on holiday in Vancouver, has returned home.

Port Alberni Socials

Mr. W. P. Bassett, of Victoria, is a visitor in Port Alberni for a short time.

Mr. A. J. McCallum, Seattle, is a guest at the Somass Hotel.

Mr. R. Raymond, of Vancouver, is spending a few days in Port Alberni.

Mr. H. Vincent, of Vancouver, has left, after spending a few days in Port Alberni.

The local order of the Fraternity of Eagles held its weekly whist drive in the Eagles' Hall. A large crowd assembled, twenty-four tables being in play, and a keen game took place. Mrs. Evans won the ladies' first prize, and Mrs. Rhodes the ladies' consolation, while the gentlemen's first went to Mr. Rooney, and the consolation to Mr. Schofield. There was also a special prize given to Mrs. Dawson and Mr. W. Richmond for holding the highest score throughout the quarter term. After cards, a buffet supper was served, which was followed by the usual dance.

Badminton Evening

An enjoyable badminton evening was spent at the J.B.A.A. Club at the Gorge on Wednesday evening, with some very close and exciting sets witnessed. The following players were present: Mrs. (Captain) W. J. C. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. George Erikson, Mr. and Mrs. Styles Sehl, Mr. and Mrs. H. Blake, Dr. and Mrs. Poynts, Mr. and Mrs. S. White, Mr. and Mrs. R. Main, Mr. and Mrs. E. La Quesne, Mr. and Mrs. D. Stewart, Mr. F. A. Sparks, Miss I. Clapham, Mr. D. Smith.

QUADRA BOY SCOUTS TO GIVE CONCERT

The Quadra Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs will give a concert in the Quadra School on Friday, January 18. Mr. G. H. Llewellyn, tenor, gold medalist of last year's musical festival, will sing. A play by the Scouts and a short sketch by the Cubs, as well as dancing and comic numbers, will make up a programme that will appeal to the public.

Mothers' Union Elects Its Officers

The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Mothers' Union, held on Wednesday afternoon at St. Mary's Hall, Oak Bay: President, Mrs. C. H. E. Cropper; first vice-president, Mrs. H. B. Tyrwhitt Drake; second vice-president, Mrs. Llewellyn Thomas; secretary, Mrs. Sidney Oliver; treasurer, Mrs. Charles Hartley; literature secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Clowes; links secretary, Mrs. Brake.

Tribute to the retiring president, Mrs. Wootton, was made by Mrs. Cropper during the afternoon. In her presidential address Mrs. Wootton told about the meeting of the Dominion Council in Winnipeg last October. The secretary's report spoke of the offer made by Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick for the use of his church for the annual Mothers' Union service, attended last year by over 200 members. The offer was accepted with thanks. She also reported that the union this year hoped to present to the new cathedral a set of altar linen and a prayer desk for the children's corner.

Mrs. Watson was appointed convener of a committee to arrange an exhibit and stall at the forthcoming cathedral exhibition, and donations for these are being requested.

May Become Baltic's King

COUNT Folke Bernadotte of Sweden, with his bride, formerly Miss Estelle Manville, of Pleasantville, N.Y., is one of the two foremost candidates for the throne of the United Baltic Kingdom, which it is proposed to form by merging Esthonia, Latvia and Lithuania.

Children's Ball at Hotel Pronounced Success

The monthly meeting of the Navy League Chapter, I.O.D.E., took place at headquarters, Union Building, yesterday, with the regent, Mrs. Mortimer Appleby, presiding. Before proceeding to business, the members stood in silent sympathy with Mrs. Nichol in the loss of her husband. Correspondence included Christmas and New Year greetings from Municipal Chapter and overseas members. The secretary, in the absence of the educational secretary, Mrs. Alice Thomson, reported that the regent had visited the Boys' Central School and presented ten patriotic calendars. It was decided to present to this school a framed photograph of the football team at the close of the football season. Six new subscribers, members of the chapter, were obtained for Echoes, the magazine of the order. The regent, convener for the fourteenth time of the children's annual fancy dress ball, which was held at the Empress Hotel on December 28, reported that the function had been a great success, both socially and financially, the chapter's funds being greatly augmented. The members of the Navy League Chapter thank all those who contributed towards this success, particularly those who officiated at the door, namely, Mr. Delves, Mr. Gordon Smith and Mr. Wilders; also the donors of the prizes, David Spencer Ltd., Hudson's Bay Company, Ramsay Bros. and Mrs. A. Whittier. A donation of $25 was voted to the fund for secondary education of soldiers' children and $25 to the fund of the soldiers' grave committee. Four delegates to the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women were chosen, and a vice-regent was nominated. Mrs. Mortimer Appleby was again chosen regent by acclamation, as were present officers for the ensuing year. It was decided to hold a card party at the Empress Hotel in the near future, Mrs. Sidney Wood and Mrs. A. Whittier to be conveners.

CHILDREN'S STORY HOUR

The Children's Story Hour will be held at 10 o'clock on Saturday morning in the Y.W.C.A. There is no charge and all children are invited to attend.

Mr. L. J. Skelton Dies

COLORADO SPRINGS, Colo., Jan. 10.—Leslie James Skelton, eighty years old, widely known in this country, Canada and Europe for his landscape painting, died here this afternoon after an illness of more than a year. Mr. Skelton came to Colorado Springs in 1892 to recover his health, and while here produced many of his paintings. One picture, "Gathering Storm in Estes Park," is perhaps the best known of all his paintings.

He was born in Montreal, April 27, 1848. A brother and sister living in Montreal survive him. His wife died here several years ago.

Kitty McKay

By Nina Wilcox Putnam

The girl friend says her boy is everything to her, except a way to keep her make-up on.

Nikko Described By Former Visitor

An address on Nikko, Japan, given by Miss G. Surplice, who spent many years in this beautiful mountain district, entertained members of l'Alliance Francaise on Wednesday afternoon. At the junction of the two torrential rivers the little town of Nikko is built. In the depths of Nikko's neighboring forests are temples finished in rare red lacquer, impervious alike to cold or heat, practically indestructible. Their beauty of color, form and sculptures was shown in the pictures circulated among the audience, one photograph being of the red lacquer bridge, described as the "Bridge of the Emperor," leading to his Summer palace, and over which none but the royal feet may tread.

A charming story of a missionary in a fever-infested district giving his all to save the people, whose confidence he at last won and whose sympathy was so lavishly given in the loss of his own child through the fever, completed Miss Surplice's address, and general discussion followed. Others who had visited Japan added their meed of experience to the discussion, notably Mrs. Rutherfor and Mrs. Schramli.

Madame Halet, president, presiding, announced that the official lecture will be given on Monday evening next in the lecture-room of Victoria College. M. Daniel Michenot, accredited lecturer sent out by l'Alliance Francaise, will arrive on Monday afternoon, and will speak at the college on "Two Great Comedians, Rejane and Coquelin." A reception to M. Michenot will follow the lecture. Further information may be had by phoning the secretary, 6274R1.

BURNS CLUB MEETING

At the monthly meeting of the Burns Club on Tuesday evening a musical programme was enjoyed. Numbers were given by Mrs. McCoy Jamieson, and songs by Mrs. Bernard Lefevre, Miss Marjorie Watson and Master Richard Eaton were much appreciated.

Son of Founder Of Y.M.C.A. Dies In Bickley, Kent

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Howard Williams, son of Sir George Williams, the founder of the Y.M.C.A., and himself a prominent supporter of the movement died at his home in Bickley, Kent, yesterday.

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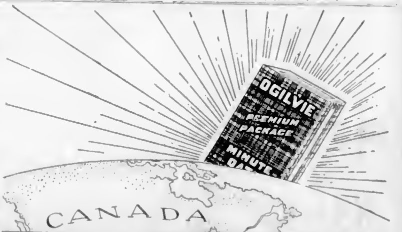

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At The Playhouses

CAPITOL THEATRE The sophisticated screen comedy, "Phyllis of the Follies," which opened at the Capitol Theatre last night, is a riotous round of rollicking situations. What a relief this picture is from the slapstick comedy! Matt Moore shares the stellar honors with Mae Day and adds much to the humor of the story. On the stage are Denny and Edith Carter, an exceedingly clever comic song and dance team; Permane and Selley, the well-known English novelty artists and Bobby Wurms, a comedy violinist.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Laughter is the most infectious of all human experiences. The very contagion of laughter is one of the reasons for the popularity of comedy-dramas such as "The Cohens and Kellys in Paris," now showing at the Columbia Theatre. The picture was produced with an all-star cast headed by George Sidney, J. Farrel Macdonald and Vera Gordon. Others in the cast are Kate Price, Gertrude Astor, Sue Carol and Charles Delaney.

PLAYHOUSE The show being presented at the Parker Theatre is a

Adventures in Arabia

By W. B. SEABROOK

CHAPTER IV (Continued)

I had noticed curiously that Mansour, whose own African face was black though no fault but by the will of Allah, had cried "May he be blackened," as lustily as the rest.

Black, among the Bedouins, is a symbol of calamity, guilt, grief, and evil fortune—but the evil is in the symbol, not in the intrinsic blackness. Black holds no magic quality or inherent shame. A man has a black (wicked) heart. His face is blackened (disgraced). Yet the very tents in which the Bedouins dwell are black, the abbas of the men are more often black than not, the agal is black, the common garb of all their women is black from head to foot.

Likewise, though a swarthy countenance is regarded as a defect in womanly or manly beauty, the negroes among them, whether free or slaves, suffer no scorn.

No man of Mitkhal's household was more popular than Mansour. Indeed, the status of a slave like Mansour was a thing not easy for the western mind to grasp.

Mansour look delight in teaching me new Arabic words, while I helped increase his knowledge of pigeon French, we liked each other from the start, and as the days passed, he became confidential.

One morning, back in our own encampment, he seemed depressed. His gay exuberance was missing. I asked him if he had a headache. "Nay," he replied, "it is my shoulders which ache and smart as if they had been trampled on by ten thousand djinn."

Seeing I was puzzled, he suddenly grinned a rueful, childish grin, and said, like a bad boy caught in a not-too-wicked prank:

"You see, last evening, I shot my brother."

This news surprised me, and what it might have to do with his aching back was not altogether clear.

"Last month, before you came," he continued, "we made a little ghrazzu against the Sirdieh, and I enriched myself with a mare and colt.

"My brother (also a slave of Mitkhal's) rides not in ghrazzu, for being occupied at the palace. He deals generously by me, and I by him, and what I take in ghrazzu, we often share. This time he demanded the colt, but for a whim I refused him. Indeed I wished to keep both for myself, may Allah forgive my greediness! But yesterday I learned that my brother, for spite, had sent the colt to Amman, and sold it and kept the gold. So that I went to require it of him, but when I came upon him, the colt jumped up in my throat, and made me shoot him—but only through the arm, praise be to the All-Merciful, for I did not wish his death.

"Then came the Pasha"—this was one of the rare times when Mansour used any other term than "my uncle" for Mitkhal—"who beat us both most terribly, so that we howled, but my brother howled loudest because the blows spared not even his wounded arm—but though he beat us equally, he gave me a new colt." And Mansour grinned again like a bad boy.

I have recounted this in detail for the sake of contrasts with later facts which I learned from Mansour. On a westward excursion to Mitkhal's cultivated lands, back on the edge of the "sown," we rode through the fields in which wheat had just been harvested. Scattered in every direction as far as the eye could see, there were little groups of fellaheen, men, women, girls, native peasants, Christian and Moslem, toiling, sweating, in the sun, while we rode like lords among them.

Mansour, the black slave who had been beaten like a dog, now superbly mounted on a white mare, with his gold-embroidered abba and the jewels of his scimitar gleaming, stretched out his great black paw and a long arm from which flowed pointed voluminous sleeves of finest muslin, and made a sweeping gesture to indicate a stretch of fields which must have comprised at least three hundred acres.

"All this is mine," he said proudly, "and all these people of the earth-gray faces toil for my increment."

"How did you get it?"

"My uncle gave it me, after I had warded a sword-thrust from him when the Wahabi came against us in the south."

I glanced at Mitkhal for confirmation, and he nodded that it was true.

But when I returned to America and said to friends, without explaining the circumstances, "I have seen on the desert edge a black Moslem slave riding bejeweled, in gold-embroidered robes, among white Christian girls and women who toiled for him barefooted in the fields," my friends replied: "Stuff and nonsense! You are stringing us, for there was nothing like that even in the days of Haroun el Reshid, and now it is a modernized country, where the French and English have abolished slavery itself—certainly slaves who wear curved swords and are masters over Christian women."

Yet there are stranger things than this in the desert tent and palace, where farengi law has never reached, and perhaps never will.

Mansour, though a slave, was one of the richest members of the tribe, after Mitkhal's own family. He could have ridden a couple of days' journey to any British post and become automatically a freed man, but he would have been a fool to do it. In fact, I heard of no slave who had invoked the farengi law, and of only one who had ever run away. And that was a generation back.

Mitkhal's father had a powerful Sudanese, mighty in battle but evil-tempered. One night he fell in a rage with his master, tore the sheik's weapons from him, and mauled him like a savage beast. Death would have been the penalty, so the Sudanese fled, and with a rage still in his heart, sought sanctuary with the great Roualla tribe, hereditary enemies of the Beni Sakhr.

By stealth, he entered the Roualla camp, laid hold of the sheik's tent rope, and then cried, "Dakhilak! Ana khadmak. (Protection! I am now your slave.)"

But the sheik, a rude and lawless man, recognized him, had him dragged into the tent, and shouted, "Nay, thou hast slain the Roualia in blood fued and now thou shalt surely die."

The slave invoked the desert law in vain. He seized a boiling coffee pot and sought to drink from the spout, but it was knocked from his hands, he was dragged outside, and his throat cut.

When this came later to the ears of the Beni Sakhr, though they themselves would have slain the Sudanese they rode against the Roualla, and fought until five Roualla deaths were exacted in vengeance.

The Roualla, a great tribe, are the rudest and most warlike of the northern desert. They are not as skillful horsemen as the smaller Sirdieh, nor are they as rich as the Beni Sakhr, but in hand-to-hand fighting they are unequalled.

At another time, and under wholly different circumstances, with Amir Amin Arslan and a Damascus banker—myself and they in motor car and European clothes—I visited a Roualla camp. We were received with a proud, rough, lavish hospitality, but not in friendship. Amir Amin is "dakhile" to all Bedouins north of Medain Salih, because he ruled them justly as desert governor under the Turks, but here was no embracing or talk of brotherhood. I felt in them—particularly toward myself and the Damascene—a savage, disdainful contempt.

When we entered the mukhaad, rugs and camel saddles were placed for us, but the sheik sat apart with his men on the ground. However, a big deal in flocks was pending, and though unwilling to be friendly, I think he wanted to impress the banker with the fact that the tribe was prosperous enough to hold out for its own terms. At any rate, when dinner time came, a gigantic iron pan, at least nine feet in diameter, carried by more than a dozen staggering men, was brought in, with the carcass of an entire camel roasted whole. We were invited to sit around it and eat our fill, no member of the tribe, not even the Roualla sheik ate with us.

When we had finished, the sheik and some twelve of his warriors squatted around the enormous feast.

Amir Amin had told me to watch closely for unusual happenings. I observed that the sheik picked up a small piece of the liver and ate it; but that afterward he scooped up a handful of rice and gravy, prepared a ball as if to put it in his mouth, but kissed it, dropped it to the ground, and ate no more. The Roualla warriors each tore off from the carcass a strip of meat, wiped it across their lips, dropped it to the ground, sat back with every sign of having finished a satisfactory meal, squatted perhaps five minutes more, whispering and conversing like people who had enjoyed a good dinner, and then all saying, "We have eaten," arose and went out wiping their hands on their abbas or in their hair.

(To be Continued)

Austria will hold its next international fair at Vienna in March.

Famous Surgeon Seen in His Workroom

WHEN examination revealed that a pin was lodged in the lung of Freddy Shepherd, Hamilton, Ont., the boy was rushed to Philadelphia, where a successful operation was performed by Dr. Chevalier Jackson, famous surgeon. Dr. Jackson's photo appears on the right. He is also shown in his clinic with a ten-year-old girl brought to him for an operation from London, England. This is the only photograph of its kind ever taken in the clinic.

SHELL OIL IS OFFICIAL NAME OF CORPORATION

With the beginning of the new year, one of the United States' most important corporations takes a new name, but one that retains all the main features of the old one known to so many hundreds of thousands of people.

From now on, Shell Oil Company is the correct designation of the big producing, refining and distributing organization heretofore known as Shell Company of California.

Growth of the Shell business and the desire for a name more nearly explanatory of the company's work are given by officials as the reasons for the change. Shell has long been a major factor in the petroleum industry, producing from its own wells, refining in its own plants and marketing through its own Shell service stations and through hundreds of dealers. Its principal products are Shell 400, the "dry" gas which protects motorists from excessive oil thinning, and Shell motor oil that forms no hard, gritty carbon. A great variety of others products—marine fuels and lubricants, industrial fuels and lubricants, aviation gasoline, household specialties—also are produced and marketed by Shell.

With these Shell products being sold in all Pacific Coast States and Hawaii, Shell officials decided that the new name would be more appropriate for such a widespread business. Besides, many persons often wrote the old name and spoke of the company as Shell Oil Company, so this change will be right in line with public thought and will not cause any confusion. Needless to say, the change in name does not contemplate any change in management, policies or operation.

CHINA APPOINTS ENVOY TO BRITAIN

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Alfred Sze, Chinese Minister to Washington, has been named envoy to London. It was stated that he would leave the United States within a few weeks.

Commission Declares Northcott to Be Sane

COURTROOM, RIVERSIDE, Cal.,—Gordon Stewart Northcott is sane and is "malingering or feigning a form of insanity" in the opinion of a special commission of alienists, expressed today, according to a written report to Superior Judge George R. Freeman.

JUDGMENT IN CASE STAYED

Magistrate Jay to Give Decision on Monday in Wilful Damage Charge Against Mrs. Knight

Judgment was reserved until Monday by Magistrate George Jay in the city police court yesterday in the case of Mrs. Annie Knight, who was charged with breaking and entering the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William Manson, 3114 Steele Street, and causing wilful damage in the premises. The counter-charge of assault laid by Mrs. Knight against Mr. and Mrs. Manson was stood over until Monday for hearing. Mr. Richard C. Lowe was counsel for Mrs. Knight.

Convicted of a second offence of being intoxicated in a public place, Joseph Haig was fined $50.

Herbert Allison was charged with driving his automobile to the common danger on Gosworth Road on January 1. Mr. Robert D. Harvey appeared as counsel for the defendant, and obtained a remand of the case until Monday.

The case of Lee Duck Way, a Chinese, charged with supplying liquor to an Indian woman, was further remanded until this morning.

"Those darned socks!" exclaimed the husband angrily as he threw them across the room.

"What's the matter with them?" demanded his wife.

"They're not darned," he growled.

CHEVROLET MEN END CONVENTION

Banquet Marks Close of Most Successful Meeting Held by Organization

A banquet last evening closed the most successful Chevrolet dealers' convention ever held in Vancouver and provided the peak of enthusiasm for over 300 of the organization assembled at their annual gathering.

The meeting was opened at 8 o'clock in the morning at the Vancouver Hotel with an address of welcome by Mr. Stan Parker, assistant regional manager, followed by Mr Ross Mackinnon, general sales manager of Chevrolet. In his message to the dealers he advised them to prepare this year for more substantial business in the years following, by giving more attention to their service facilities, equipment and mechanics; to continue an aggressive and intelligent policy of the sale of used cars and to become better business managers.

"The new Chevrolet," said Mr. Mackinnon, "has a 90 per cent Canadian content and has the best body on the market. The objective is to make it a 100 per cent Canadian car, and this has been approached more nearly every year, the manufacture of engines being the most recent big step in this direction." He went on to say that the Chevrolet sales objective for 1929 was 100,000 cars built in Canada for domestic and export sales, and that the most rigid inspection would continue to be enforced on all cars produced in the Chevrolet factories in Canada.

Other speakers at the morning session were Mr. R. N. Orainger, western parts and service manager; Mr. V. Bailey, of the Chevrolet sales department, who spoke on the subject of "Used Cars;" Mr F. B. Coats, general manager of Motor Accounting Company of Canada, Limited, and Mr. E. Wilson, of General Motors Acceptance Corporation.

The afternoon session opened in the Vancouver Theatre, with the premier showing of the film entitled "With Chevrolet Across Canada." This picture is designed not only to show the service Chevrolet cars are giving throughout the Dominion, but to "sell" the dealer organization on the magnificent resources and opportunities in Canada. Mr. Mackinnon is a firm believer in educational work of this nature. This film will soon be available for use in schools, also in Rotary, Kiwanis and other clubs.

Then the "Outstanding Chevrolet of Chevrolet History—a six in the price range of the four," was shown and received with great enthusiasm. Mr. J. Umphrey, in charge of Chevrolet sales promotion, pointed out the features in this new six.

Other speakers in the afternoon were Mr. R McIntyre, of the Chev... of the Chevrolet sales department; Mr W. O. Marshall, in charge of Chevrolet fleet and truck sales; Mr A E Jenner, assistant advertising manager of General Motors of Canada, Limited, and Mr. A. A. Ross, of Vancouver, regional sales manager. All speakers presented their subject with the assistance of lantern slides.

Japan Honors United Church Missionaries

TORONTO, Jan 10.—Three missionaries of the United Church were presented with "certificates of merit and vases for distinguished service" by the Imperial Japanese Government in connection with the recent coronation of the new Emperor.

ROTARY CLUB AIDS BODIES

Distribution of Charity Funds of Organization Announced by Vice-President

Distribution of charity funds of the Victoria Rotary Club was announced by Vice-President John R. Clark at yesterday's luncheon meeting of the organization, which was held in the Empress Hotel ballroom. The receipts from the Rotary ice carnival and superfluities sale were $2,500. The club gave Christmas donations of $150 to each of the following bodies: The Friendly Help, Social Service League and Salvation Army; the sum of $25 to the Kiwanis Club for T.B. seals; $500 to the Rotary Club's boys' work committee, and $1,000 to the Queen Alexandra Solarium for crippled children, leaving a reserve in the club's charity fund of approximately $525.

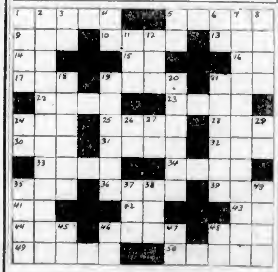
A splendid programme arranged by Mr. James H. Beatty, M.P.P., in which five addresses were delivered by club members on various aspects of business ethics, was thoroughly enjoyed. The speakers included Mr. R. W Mayhew, Dr. George Hall, Messrs. Walter Luney and W. P. Marchant.

Seasonal greetings were received by the club from the Rotary Club of Hastings, New Zealand, and from President C. S. J. Taylor, of the Rotary Club of Ramsgate, England.

Mr. W. C. Brown, of the Canadian General Electric Company, and Mr. Cyril Chapman, of the Empress Hotel, were elected to the membership of the organization.

President Herbert Anscomb tendered his resignation as an active member of the club. By virtue of his office as Mayor of Victoria Mr. Anscomb retains honorary membership in the club. He expressed his intention of attending as many of the club's gatherings as possible.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



ACROSS

1. Donated.
5. Cut.
8. Unit.
10. Eject.
13. Southern cuckoo.
14. Engaged in.
15. Prefix: two.
16. Toward.
17. A number.
19. Game bird.
21. Craft.
22. Flower.
23. Painful.
24. Likely.
25. Female sheep (plural).
28. Unclose.
30. Constellation.
31. Nothing but.
32. Vessel.
33. Great lake.
34. Part of the face.
35. Inclosure.
36. Tiny particles.
39. Finish.
41. Hebrew letter.
42. Thus.
43. Engineering degree (ab.).
44. Limb.
46. Wagers.
48. Weapon.
49. Rulers of Russia.
50. Open to view.

DOWN

1. Horned animal.
2. Those who translate.
3. Brother of Odin.
4. Negative.
5. Compass point.
6. Southern State (ab.).
7. One who undertakes a proposition.
8. Disturbance.
11. Japanese shrub.
12. Form of address.
18. One who administers oaths.
19. Appeared.
20. An affirmative answer.
21. Get up.
24. River in Livonia.
26. Ourselves.
27. Comparative suffix.
29. Prefix: into.
35. Quarrel.
37. Employ.
38. Toper.
40. Impression.
45. Mother.
46. Collegiate degree (ab.).
47. Thus.
48. Goddess of Earth.

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Sliced Ham Bologna, per lb ... **30¢**
Sliced Lunch Tongue, per lb. ... **55¢**

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B. C. Comb Honey, pint jars ... **50¢**
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Plate Beef, per lb. ... **18¢**

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Legs and Loins, per lb ... **35¢**
Shoulders and Ribs, per lb. ... **25¢**
Loin Chops, per lb. ... **40¢**

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Legs and Loins, per lb. ... **45¢**
Shoulders, whole or half, per lb. ... **30¢**
Loin Chops, per lb. ... **50¢**

Pork

Shoulders and Sides, per lb. ... **25¢**
Loins and Fillets, per lb. ... **30¢**
Pickled Pork, per lb. ... **28¢**
Imperial Pork Sausages, per lb. ... **28¢**

Poultry

Roasting Chicken, per lb. ... **45¢**
Choice Fowl, per lb ... **38¢**
H B C Beef Sausages, per lb. ... **15¢**

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Ebony Hat Brushes, $1.00 value **60¢**
Healing Ointment, 50c value **33¢**
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3 Beaded Frocks, in orchid shade. Regular $15.00. January Clearance Sale **$8.95**
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12 Figured Georgette and Flat Crepe Frocks. Regular $27.50. January Clearance Sale **$16.95**
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18 Velour and Broadcloth Coats. Regular $35.00. January Clearance Sale **19.75**
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7 Out-Sized Coats, heavily trimmed with fur. Regular $49.50. January Clearance Sale **29.75**
18 Women's Out-Sized Coats in dark and light shades. Regular $59.50. January Clearance Sale **34.95**
12 Suedine, Broadcloth and Velour Coats richly trimmed fur. Regular $65.00. January Clearance Sale **39.75**
1 Model Coat in black, trimmed with opossum. Size 19½. Regular $89.50. January Clearance Sale **53.50**
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Fox Fur Scarves

Buy Now for Spring

Dark Brown and Cocoa Brown Fox Scarves. Regular $23.75. January Clearance Sale **18.00**
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Platinum Grey Fox Scarves. Regular $110.00. January Clearance Sale **88.00**
Beige Fox Scarves. Regular $110.00. January Clearance Sale **88.00**

Silver Fox Scarves all at 20% Off Regular Prices.

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Handbags and Purses

The collection includes pouch and underarm styles in Women's Leather Handbags. Also Coin Purses, Writing Cases, Cigarette Cases and other oddments. Grouped to clear at **Half Price**

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50% Off
Women's Umbrellas

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Spectacles or Eyeglasses

Today and tomorrow the Optical Department features spectacles or eyeglasses for every purpose at a discount of 20% from the usual price.

As a limited number of patients can be attended to during this time, those who wish to take advantage of this offer are advised to phone early for an appointment.

Time payments will be arranged for those who desire this convenience.

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20 to 40% Off
Children's Clothing

36 Little Tots' Chinchilla and Teddy Cloth Coats
Flannelette lined all-wool chinchilla, Teddy and blanket cloth coats in smart double-breasted styles. Tailored and also with imitation beaverine collars and cuffs. In sand, rose, green, saxe and cardinal. Sizes for 1 to 4 years. Regular to $5.50. January Clearance Sale, each **2.98**

Little Tots' Pantie Leggings to Match the Little Coats
These button at sides and come well up under the arm. Sizes for 1 to 4 years. Regular to $2.95. January Clearance Sale, per pair **1.98**

Little Girls' Fur-Trimmed Coats
Warm Little Suedine and Blanket Cloth Coats in smart double-breasted style, with beaverine collar and fully lined. Colors are camel, sand and blue. Sizes for 1 to 3 years. Regular $5.95 and $6.95. January Clearance Sale, each **3.90**

Little Girls' Fine Broadcloth Coats Regular to $13.75 for $8.95
Many smart styles in these fine all-wool Broadcloth and Suedine Coats, with natural and white fur collars and cuffs and novelty rayon lining, representing the best of our little tots' better grade coats. Regular $11.75 and $13.75. Sizes for 2 to 5 years. January Clearance Sale, each **8.95**

—Second Floor, HBC

25% Off
French Seal Coats

French Seal Coats with French seal collar and cuffs. Sizes 36 to 40. Regular $97.50. January Clearance Sale, **$73.15**
French Seal Coats with shawl collar and cuffs of skunk. Regular $135.00. January Clearance Sale **$108.00**

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50% Off
Boys' Jersey Suits

All-Wool Suits in Oliver Twist style. In shades of fawn, fawn top and navy pants and saxe with navy. Smart and warm for boys from 2 to 6 years old. Regular $3.95. January Clearance Sale **1.95**

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40 to 50% Off
Household Hardware

Universal Food Choppers. Regular $5.25 for **$2.60**
Electric Steam Irons. Regular $5.95 for **$2.95**
Electric Grills. Regular $8.95 for **$4.45**
Aluminum Egg Cups. Regular 2 for 25c at 4 for **25¢**
Tin Funnels. Regular 20c for **10¢**
Enamel Jugs. Regular $1.25 for **65¢**
Enamel Measures. Regular 80c for **40¢**
Enamel Teapots. Regular 79c for **40¢**
Enamel Teapots. Regular 59c for **30¢**
Wire Soap Strainers. Regular 20c for **10¢**
Ladles. Regular 20c for **10¢**
Door Pulls. Regular, per dozen, 40c for, per dozen **20¢**
Cupboard Catches. Regular 25c each for, each **15¢**
Screw Eyes. Regular, per dozen, 25c for, per dozen **10¢**
Screw Eyes. Regular, per dozen, 20c for, per dozen **10¢**

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40 to 60% Off
Winter Millinery

22 Hats reduced to **$2.49**
77 Hats reduced to **$3.49**
50 Exclusive Models reduced to **$6.75**

In this collection of regrouped hats are velvets, velours, felts and some velvet and metallic combinations. The smartest of styles in hats which have been marked to half their original price for this millinery clearance.

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20 to 40% Off
Girdles and Corselettes

Regular $5.50 for $2.98
Made of heavy coutil and fancy brocade with very durable elastic insets. An assortment of sizes from discontinued lines. January Clearance Sale **2.98**

Corsets, Girdles and Corselettes, Values to $10.50, for $5.98
These come from many well-known high-class manufacturers such as Gossard, Nemo and Lady Mac. These garments are bargains unexcelled in quality, fit and workmanship. January Clearance Sale **5.98**

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20 to 40% Off
Women's Winter Underwear

120 Odd Combinations
In Swiss rib, all-wool or wool with rayon silk stripe. Tight knee. In shaded strap, short sleeves or opera top. All out under the one sale card. Sizes in the lot are 36 to 44. Regular $2.95 for **1.98**

Women's Cotton and Wool Vests
Wood's Lavendar Line Fine Rib Cotton and Wool Vests, with built-up strap. Sizes 36 to 42. Regular $2.25. January Clearance Sale, each **1.49**

48 Women's Cotton and Wool Bloomers
Wood's Lavender Line Fine Ribbed Cotton and Wool Bloomers, with double gusset. Only 48 in this special clearing lot. Regular $2.25. January Clearance Sale, per pair **1.49**

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20 to 40% Off
Rayon Lingerie

Rayon Silk Combinations
In heavy quality rayon silk, with dainty lace trimmings. Opera top style with bloomer knee. Colors are peach, rose, Nile, mauve and sunni. Sizes 36 to 42. Regular $3.95. January Clearance Sale **2.98**

Heavy Quality Rayon Silk Bloomers
Odd sizes and colors of Wood's Lavender Line and Harvey's heavy quality Rayon Silk Bloomers, in peach, coral, pink, sunni, etc. Small and medium size. January Clearance Sale, per pair **1.98**

Wood's Lavender Line Slips
Finest quality heavy opera top shadowproof Slips, in candy pink, peach, pink, mauve and sonol. Sizes 36 to 42. Regular $4.25. January Clearance Sale, each **2.98**

***Wood's and Harvey's Rayon Silk Vests**
Odd sizes and colors of Wood's and Harvey's fine quality rayon silk opera top Vests. Sizes in the lot range from 36 to 42. Regular $1.75. January Clearance Sale, each **1.39**

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20 to 40% Off
Art Needlework

24 Stamped Hemstitched Linen Scarves
Superior quality linen, with 1½-inch hemstitched hems. Stamped in various pretty designs for embroidery and cutwork. Regular $1.75. January Clearance Sale **$1.25**

18 Stamped All-Linen Pillow Cases
With 2½-inch hemstitched hem. Excellent quality linen and effective designs. Regular $2.95. January Clearance Sale, per pair **$2.35**

Children's Stamped and Made-Up Pantie Dresses
Of colored linene with white lawn trimming. Sizes for 4 to 6 years. Regular $1.25. January Clearance Sale **75¢**

Orange and White Gingham Breakfast Sets
Consisting of cloth 36 x 40 inches and four serviettes. Regular 85c. January Clearance Sale **60¢**

Corticelli 4-Ply Fingering
Suitable for making serviceable socks and pullover sweaters. Grey only. Regular $2.50 per lb. January Clearance Sale, per lb **$2.00**

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PORTLAND PUTS SKIDS UNDER VICTORIA AGAIN

Rangers Hand Ottawa Old-Fashioned Lacing; Americans Retain Top Place

New York Men Skate Through Senators to Score 9 to 3 Victory

Americans Blank Leafs, 2-0—Boston Takes Canadiens for Ride, 4-2—Detroit Humbles Pirates, 4-1—Maroons and Hawks Draw

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—In an old-fashioned scoring spree tonight, the New York Rangers, leaders of the American section of the N.H.L., hung the worst defeat of the season on the tail-end Ottawa team, of the Canadian division, by the healthy total of 6-2.

The brilliant speed of the New Yorkers, plus their dazzling combination and consistent backchecking was too much for the Senators.

The Line-Ups

Ottawa		Rangers
Connelly	Goal	Roach
W Boucher	Defence	Abel
Clancy	Defence	Bourgault
Smith	Centre	F. Boucher
Finnegan	Wing	W. Cook
Kilrea	Wing	Bun Cook
Grosvenor	Sub	Thompson
Elliott	Sub	Lane
Touhey	Sub	Murdock
Shields	Sub	Kelling
Godin	Sub	Oatman

Summary

First period—1, Rangers, W. Cook 1:45; 2, Ottawa, Godin, 7:16; 2, Rangers, F. Cook, 6:00; 4, Rangers, W. Cook, 4:00.

Second period — 5, Rangers, F. Boucher, 16:20.

Third period—6, Rangers, W. Cook, 6:13; 7, Rangers, Thompson, :10; 8, Ottawa, Kilrea, 1:30; 9, Rangers, Murdock, 1:30; 10, Rangers, Lane, 1:20; 11, Ottawa, Godin, 1:30; 12, Rangers, Boucher, 2:30.

AMERICANS BLANK LEAFS

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—New York Americans held their place at the top of the Canadian section of the National Hockey League by turning back tonight the Toronto Maple Leafs 2-0 in a slow game.

Injury to Goalie Lorne Chabot, near the end of the first period, cost Toronto its chance of victory. Chabot received a cut over his right eye that required two stitches. Bennie Grant, a first year man in the league, took his place, and while he performed creditably, one of the Americans' two goals was due directly to his inexperience.

The Line-Ups

Americans		Toronto
Worters	Goal	Chabot
Reise	Defence	Smith
Conacher	Defence	Day
Burch	Centre	Carson
Broadbent	Wing	Bailey
Connor	Wing	Cox
Himes	Sub	Horne
Dye	Sub	Blair
McVeigh	Sub	Duncan
Simpson	Sub	Pettinger
Spring	Sub	Lowery
Sheppard	Sub	Grant

Summary

First period—No score.

Second period—1, Americans, McVeigh, 15:25.

Third period—2, Americans, Dye, 13:50.

BRUINS TRIM CANADIENS

MONTREAL, Jan. 10.—Boston's battling Bruins lived up to their name here tonight by dint of perseverence, when they overcame a seemingly insurmountable task to defeat the Canadiens 4 to 2 in a N.H.L. thriller. To win the fast open encounter the visitors had to overcome a two-goal lead Canucks obtained less than two minutes after the start.

The veteran Mickey Mackay, the visitors' utility forward, scored two goals for his team, one of them proving to be the winning counter.

The Line-Ups

Boston		Canadiens
Thompson	Goal	Hainsworth
Shore	Defence	Burke
Owens	Defence	Manthe
Gainor	Centre	Morens
Oliver	Wing	Gagne
Green	Wing	Joliat
Hitchman	Sub	Leduc
Rodden	Sub	Lepine
Clapper	Sub	Patterson
Welland	Sub	Mondou
Denennay	Sub	Lessieur
Mackay	Sub	—

Summary

First period—1, Canadiens, Burke, 1:20; 2, Canadiens, Manthe, :25; 3, Boston, Mackay, 6:00.

Second period—4, Boston, Welland, 10:50.

Third period—5, Boston, Mackay, 7:15; 6, Boston, Clapper, 6:45.

COUGARS STOP PIRATES

DETROIT, Jan 10.—The Cougars loosed a hard skating offence against the Pittsburgh Pirates in an N.H.L. game here tonight that resulted in a four to one defeat for the Pittsburgh team. Harold Darragh saved the Pirates from a blanking when he scored in the final period on a pass from Milks with less than two minutes to play.

The Line-Ups

Detroit		Pittsburgh
Dolson	Goal	Miller
Noble	Defence	McKinnon
Brydge	Defence	Smith
Lewis	Centre	Fredrickson
Cooper	Wing	Darragh
Hay	Wing	Milks
Connors	Sub	Cotton
Aurie	Sub	White
Traub	Sub	Drury
Herberts	Sub	McAffey
Brophy	Sub	McCurry
—	Sub	Holway

Summary

First period—1, Detroit, Brydge, 4:20.

Second period—No score.

Third period—2, Detroit, Cooper, 13:00; 3, Detroit, Lewis, 6:06; 4, Detroit, Connors, 16:22; 5, Pittsburgh, Darragh, 18:45.

HAWKS, MAROONS DRAW

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—Chicago Black Hawks went at top speed tonight to gain a 1-1 tie with the hard-checking Montreal Maroons in a National Hockey League game. Only spectacular goal tending by "Chuck" Gardiner, Black Hawk goalie, in the overtime period, saved the Hawks from falling a little deeper into the cellar.

Line-Up

Chicago	Position	Maroons
Gardiner	Goal	Benedict
Taylor	Defence	Dutton
Wentworth	Defence	Siebert
Ripley	Centre	Smith
Gottselig	Wing	Stewart
Irvin	Wing	Ward
March	Sub	Lamb
Couture	Sub	Hicks
McKinnon	Sub	Phillips
Arbour	Sub	Trottier
Loughlin	Sub	—

Summary

First period—1 Montreal, Ward, 12:45.

Second period—No score.

Third period—2, Chicago, Irvin, 9:20.

Overtime period—No score.

ROYALS' CLUB HANDED FINE

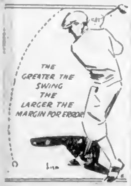
Dominion Soccer Dakes Plaster Heavy Penalty on Westminster Team for Ignoring Order

VANCOUVER, Jan. 10.—Officials of the Westminster Royals received advices this morning that the club had been mulcted $150 by the Dominion Football Association and that the money must be paid into the office of Secretary Sam Davidson, in Winnipeg, or President John Russell, in Vancouver, by January 21.

Manager Harry Tidy, of the Royals, said the fine was for disobedience to the order of the D.F.A. council to produce the books of the club at the late inquiry. Tidy added that the club had no books and that it was therefore impossible to produce them.

Tidy further stated that the first impression of club officials was to ignore the fine order, but added that full consideration would be given to the matter before taking action. He said he considered it peculiar that an amateur club should be fined such an amount.

GOLF
AS CHAMPIONS PLAY IT



What, to you, is the hardest shot in golf?

By AL ESPINOSA

In my estimation, the tee shot is the most difficult for most players. You are using a larger club on a longer swing, it is harder to handle, and there is a much bigger margin of error.

Most golfers have more trouble at the tee than at any other point on a course. A man may be off his iron shots for a while, but usually it is not for long. With a tee shot, however, you may be consistently bad for some time.

Bobby Jones is a wonderful golfer in a large measure because of his great ability with a driver. Hagen, on the contrary, banks heavily upon his iron shots.

Gun Dog Club Will Hold Anual Parley At Westholme Hotel

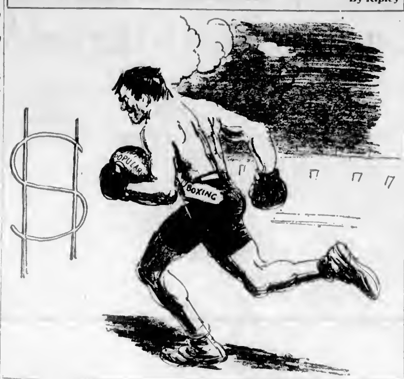
The annual meeting of the Victoria and District Gun Dog Club will be held at the Westholme Hotel, Government Street, tonight at 8 o'clock. Election of officers for the ensuing year and other important business is on the agenda.

Taberski Reduces Seabach's Lead

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Frank Taberski, world's pocket billiard champion, reduced the lead of Charles Seabach in their 750-point match by taking the fourth block last night, 196 to 112, after the Canadian champion had won the third, 136 to 82.

Seabach now leads in total points by 503 to 457.

RUNNING THE WRONG DIRECTION — — By Ripley



SUPER SERVICE BEAT COLLEGE BY MERE POINT

Victoria College, of Intermediate "A" Division of City Basketball League, Suffer Second Loss

KEATING, FOUREX REGISTER WINS

Another big upset occurred in the City Basketball League last night, at the Centennial gymnasium, when the Super Service quintette, in the intermediate "A" division, put a severe crimp in the championship aspirations of the Victoria College crew by taking them into camp, 21-20. By their victory, the Super Service go into a tie in the league standing with the Crescents for second place, with the College leading them by one game. It was the collegians' second defeat of the season, both being at the hands of the gasmen.

From the start it looked as if the students were going to be mere spectators, as the winners, through the playing of Alex Cudlip, Tommy Forbes and Alan LeMarquand, piled up a good lead, and when the whistle sounded for the interval the Super Service squad were leading 14-4.

However, the second period produced better basketball, and the collegians romped through their opponents and gradually made things interesting from a fan's point of view. White tossed the leather home for two pretty field goals for the College, while Cudlip and Forbes continued their great work for the Supermen. Hard checking featured as the game was drawing to an end, and Referee Blair was busy handing out the odd personal on both sides. College were attacking strong when the whistle was blown for full time. For the winners, Cudlip, LeMarquand, Forbes and Hill turned in fine games, while Bissell, White, Foubister and Paterson were the pick of the College. Bill Blair refereed and the teams were:

Super Service—Cudlip (8), Barbour, Hill (2), Forbes (6), D. Bissell (2) and LeMarquand (5).

Victoria College—Paterson (2), C Bissell (2), Rogers (2), Chapman (2), White (7), Gilmour (2) and Foubister (3).

KEATING TAKES ANOTHER

In the opening game, Keating's representatives in the senior "C" league, continued on their way towards the laurels in this section by walking all over the Foresters to the tune of 35-10. From the start it was plainly evident which team was the better, for the visitors obtained a large lead easily, and kept it up to the end. Ralph Michell, Ray Kersey and Frank Sutton, Keating's sharpshooting trio, registered all their points. Reynolds and Irvings starred for the clubmen. Taylor refereed and the teams were:

Keating—L. Styan, Michell (12), Kersey (12), Sutton (11), A. Styan, W Tanner and Nimmo.

Foresters—Moir (2), Reynolds (4), Irvings (2), Longley (2), Fennell and Lang.

RED BIRDS DEFEATED

Although only an exhibition game, the Harmony girls from the Sunday School League, stepped out of their class and set back the Red Birds, of the ladies' "B" division, 20-18. The winners took a one-basket lead during the second half and never relinquished it. Mary Peden and Edna Matthews starred for the winners, with seven and six points respectively, while Alice Dean, with twelve points, lead the Red Birds. Taylor refereed, and the teams were:

Harmony—M Peden (7), F Alexander (2), V. Foubister (2), A. Wood, L. Matthews (6), A. Hall, B. Armtrong, C. Alexander and B. Macmurchie (2).

Red Birds—T. Rennie (4), B. Peden (4), A. Dean (12), B. Boyce (2), D. Lea and D. Holder.

BAKERYMEN WIN EASILY

Bob Whyte and his band of Fourex hoopmen chalked up another victory at the expense of the Navy team in the senior "C" section, 27-10. At half-time the winners were leading 19-4, and steadily increased their margin as the second period progressed. Bruce Macmurchie, Bob Whyte and Bob Peden shone out for the Fourex, and Robinson, Freeman and Massick played good games for the tars. Macmurchie and Peden were responsible for all the winners' points, the former with fifteen and the latter with twelve. Bill Blair refereed and the teams were:

Fourex—Cartwright, Peden (12), Rhodes, Laud, Whyte, Macmurchie (15) and Morrish.

Navy — Freeman, Massick (2), Barr (2), Robinson (4), McCuaig (2) and Leighton.

THREE HOCKEY GAMES CARDED

Commercial League Teams Expected to Put Up Fast Encounters as Schedule Nears Completion

BRILLIANT TUBES TO BATTLE RINK RATS

With only four points separating the top team from the teams tied for third place in the Commercial Hockey League and only three more weeks of play, some interesting games should be witnessed at the Willows before the schedule terminates. The card of fixtures for tonight is as follows:

7:30—Brilliant Tubes vs. Rink Rats.

8:30—Fitz's vs. Bapcos.

9:30—Plimley & Ritchie vs. Garrison.

The first two games should be nip and tuck struggles all of the way. Brilliant Tubes and Fitz's are tied for second berth, while the Bapcos and Rink Rats are joint occupants of third position. Both the Tubers and Cuemen will need victories to keep on the heels of the leading Plimley & Ritchie aggregation.

The Cyclemen are playing the Garrison, and unless the unexpected happens, should come through with a win. Allan Tuckwell will referee all games.

CAREY FAVORED TO SUCCEED RICKARD AS GARDEN MANAGER

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Wall Street heard yesterday that banking interests understood to control 40 per cent of the stock of the Madison Square Garden Corporation, favored the selection of William F Carey, now vice-president, as successor to Tex Rickard in the presidency and general management of the organization.

Letters to the Editor

ISSUES CHALLENGE

To the Sporting Editor

Sir,—In an effort to help a much-neglected sport, I issue a challenge on behalf of Bob and Jack Matthews, aged twelve and nine to meet any schoolboy in Victoria and district, about their age, in a five to ten-mile walking race.

G. SPENCE MATTHEWS
Secretary, Health and Strength League Club, 211 Jones Building, Victoria, B.C., January 10, 1929.

ENGLISH TEAMS TO RESUME PLAY IN CUP SERIES

Third Round for Historic Soccer Trophy Will Be Played in Old Country Tomorrow

TWENTY-TWO GAMES ARE ON PROGRAMME

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Cup ties will grip the attention of soccer fans in England on Saturday, when the third round of the competition for the historic English Football Association trophy will be staged. The twenty-two First Division clubs, one of whom usually wins the cup, enter the elimination games with Second Division teams for the first time on Saturday, and they have been so favored in the draw that there is certain to be a large number of them in the fourth round.

In amateur circles there were high hopes that the famous Corinthians, the only amateur club now in the competition, would have been favored in this draw by choice of ground, but luck decreed otherwise. They have to journey down to Norwich to play the Third Division league club.

GENEROUSLY TREATED

London has been generously treated and there are to be great struggles at West Ham and Chelsea. The Arsenal will once more try their skill at Highbury against Stoke City, whom they defeated on the same ground in the sixth round last season.

There will be a tremendous crowd at Stamford Bridge to witness the Chelsea vs. Everton match—a battle between the league champions and a club that has high hopes of gaining promotion this season.

Blackburn Rovers, the cupholders, will be at home to Barnsley, a good Second Division team.

THE DRAW

The draw follows:

Lincoln City vs. Leicester City
Walsall vs. Middlesbrough.
Luton Town vs. Crystal Palace.
Southampton vs. Clapton Orient.
Reading vs. Tottenham Hotspurs.
Birmingham vs. Manchester City.
Port Vale vs. Manchester United.
Chelsea vs. Everton.
Millwall vs. Northampton Town.
Darlington vs. Bury.
Norwich City vs. Corinthians.
Bradford City vs. Stockport County.
Swindon Town vs. Newcastle United.
Accrington Stanley vs. Bournemouth and Boscombe.
Plymouth Argyle vs. Blackpool.
Arsenal vs. Stoke City.
Wolverhampton Wanderers vs. Mansfield Town.
Watford vs. Preston North End.
West Ham United vs. Sunderland.
Wiganborough vs. Sheffield Wednesday.
Portsmouth vs. Charlton Athletics.
Exeter City vs. Leeds United.
Aston Villa vs. Cardiff City.
Bristol City vs. Liverpool.
Burnley vs. Sheffield United.
Bolton Wanderers vs. Oldham Athletics.
Nottingham Forest vs. Swansea Town.
Chesterfield vs. Huddersfield Town.
Hull City vs. Bradford.
Derby County vs. Nottingham County.
Blackburn Rovers vs. Barnsley.
Grimsby Town vs. West Bromwich Albion.

Matches will be played on the grounds of the first mentioned club.

UPLANDS CLUB IN FINE SHAPE MEMBERS TOLD

Reports at Annual Meeting Show Club Had Most Successful Year in History—Large Gains Made

ELECT BOARD OF DIRECTORS

The rapid strides that golf has made in Victoria during the past few years was clearly demonstrated at the annual meeting of the Uplands Club held last night in the Sprott-Shaw School. The reports from the various committees and secretary showed that the club had experienced its most successful year and that all earlier expectations had been surpassed.

The secretary's report showed that there had been a heavy increase in the membership over that of the previous year, and that the club now had 509 active members on its roll. Green fees, despite the advance in holiday prices, had increased greatly, and in 1928 netted $10,939.50, while subscriptions paid had amounted to close to $26,000. A handsome balance had resulted from this, the report showed, and the club was declared to be in a very healthy state.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

President S. H. Halls, in his annual report, dwelt briefly on the negotiations which the club had undertaken with the board of directors of the Hudson's Bay Company in England, with a view of purchasing the property. Mr. Halls read a letter from the chairman of the board, which set out the policy of the company. It referred to the length of time which the lease still had to run (eight years), and stated that the company would be in a better position to state its policy when the period of time on the existing lease had been shortened somewhat. It also intimated that the directors would bear in mind the splendid progress made by the club and that every consideration would be given by them when the time was ripe.

The president also told of the great amount of improvements which had been made around the course. He stressed upon the great advance made by the club and stated one of the chief reasons for this was the directors' foresight in enabling the fairways to be watered throughout the year. He said that only $13,000 in debentures were outstanding and that the club was over $1,500 ahead of the issues.

In closing he thanked the directors and secretary for their untiring work during his three-year term as president, and the members for their splendid support. A vote of thanks was tendered Mr Halls on behalf of the members, while Mr. Robert Dunn, Jr., spoke a few words of commendation on behalf of the directors. Mr. Halls is retiring this year.

The following directors were named: Messrs. J. A. Cameron, J. O. Cameron, R. L. Challoner, A. Craig, Sr., F. C. Dillabough, R. Dunn, Jr., W. G. Leith, D. A. Macdonald, C. Morrison and P. Phillip.

BOWLING

COLONIST WIN TWO

Colonist Editorial took the odd game from the Poodle Dog Cafe bowlers in a Fivepin League fixture rolled on the Arcade Alleys yesterday afternoon. The winners turned in a fair performance in the first game when they toppled 747 pins, whereas the Cafemen rolled their best score in the second game by spilling 704 pins. Scores follow:

Colonist Editorials

J Delahunty	141	166	113—	420
V Gravlin	141	116	111—	271
H McDonald	130	134	149—	413
H. Lock	131	92	131—	264
S Thomas	184	136	129—	451
Totals	727	649	633—	2000

Poodle Dog Cafe

L. Buckley	175	128	106—	406
F Welsh	104	140	138—	382
N. Nelson	100	145	132—	377
A Hoskyn	67	131	66—	264
A. Theobold	117	160	153—	430
Totals	563	704	594—	1861

TEX RICKARD LEFT ESTATE VALUED AT OVER A MILLION

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Tex Rickard left an estate valued at "over a million," Jack Dempsey revealed today after a conference with lawyers handling the promoter's affairs. He said tomorrow he would reveal bequests to Rickard's widow, infant daughter and his mother.

Schwartz-Belanger Fight Postponed

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—The bout between Izzy Schwartz and "Frenchy" Belanger, contenders for flyweight honors, scheduled for January 16, has been postponed indefinitely, it was announced last night. Belanger is ill with flu.

Bucks Score Second Straight Win Over Cubs by 2-0 Score

Rose City Puckchasers Repeat Dose to Local Icemen on Home Ice—H. Runge and Conn Draw Major Penalties for Mixing

PORTLAND, July 10—The Portland Buckaroos took a firmer hold on second place in the Pacific Coast Hockey League here tonight by shotting out Victoria, 2 to 0. A perfect defence aided Bucks to down the Cubs coupled with combination plays. Herman Runge and "Red" Conn afforded the fans a few moments of excitement in the third period when they clinched and made a few swings. However, they missed and were penalized ten minutes.

Portland took the lead in the first period by scoring a goal. Armstrong clipped the rubber to Bond standing a few feet from the net. Bond scooped it into the net before the Cub defence could check it.

The Buckaroos scored again early in the second period. Downie managed to elude the Cub defence and passed to Teel, who made a clear shot.

In the third period Victoria crowded things, especially Goalie Timmins. Victoria drew the ire of Referee Ion in the last period by roughing it.

THE LINE-UPS

Victoria		Portland
Robertson	Goal	Timmins
Redpath	Defence	McGoldrick
Kenney	Defence	Johnson
Evans	Centre	Downie
Kelly	Wing	Teel
H Runge	Wing	Conn
Osmundsen	Sub	Pratt
Leacock	Sub	Armstrong
Pridham	Sub	Bond
P Runge	Sub	Singer

Referee—Ion.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Portland, Bond from Armstrong, 11:36.

Second Period—2, Portland, Teel from Downie, 1:29.

Third Period—No score.

PENALTIES

First Period—H Runge.

Second Period—Kenny, H. Runge, McGoldrick.

Third Period—Armstrong, Kelly, Kenny, Redpath, Conn, H. Runge.

CITY TO MEET ESQUIMALT IN FEATURE GAME

First Division Teams Will Start Play in Combination Cup Series Tomorrow Afternoon

SIX CLUBS TO BE IN ACTION

First Division soccer teams will start play tomorrow in the Combination Cup series with all six clubs in action. The schedule at present adopted calls for each club to meet the others once, making five games apiece. The team with the largest number of points at the termination of the schedule will hold the cup for one year. It is at present held by Esquimalt. The draw for the first round is as follows:

Five C's vs. Saanich Thistles, at Beacon Hill.

Westholme vs. Victoria West, at Central Park.

Victoria City vs. Esquimalt, at Royal Athletic Park.

All games will start at 2:30 o'clock.

FEATURE TUSSLE

The feature tussle should be at the Royal Athletic Park, where Victoria City, league champions, are billed to meet the Dockers. Esquimalt, a big noise in local soccerdom a season or two ago, have failed to be particularly impressive so far this season. However, with a fresh start, the Dockers might be able to make things interesting for the City eleven.

At Beacon Hill Jack Ewing's Saanich Thistles will try conclusions with the Five C's. The lads from the suburban district should, according to Hoyle, take the points here; but the C's are a club that is never beaten until the final whistle has sounded.

Victoria West should have no difficulty in securing the points in their game with the Westholmes at Central Park. The greenshirts finished in second berth in the league schedule whereas their opponents have not entered the win column this season.

JUNIOR GAMES

Junior teams will commence play in the first round of the Province Cup series with Esquimalt and James Island playing at Victoria West and Victoria City opposing the Y.M.C.A. at Beacon Hill upper ground. Both games will start at 2:30 o'clock.

Tomorrow's teams will be as follows:

Saanich Thistles will be selected from the following — Rogers or Hogan, Joe Crowe, Harper, D'Arcy, Viggers, Jim Crowe, Miller, Dickinson, F Price, Easler, Minnis and Ewing.

Royal Oak Juveniles—Johnston, Leggett, Robins, Glenny, Gibson, Williams, Viggers, Moore, Robins, Halket and Chapman.

Maple Leaf Juveniles — Baxter, Scoular, Pearse, Smith, Gaiger, Blackstock, Wilson, Curnow, Bichard, Bird, Peters and Pulver. Players to meet at manager's house at 1 o'clock.

B.O.E. Juveniles will be selected from the following: Tood, Bradley, Buckley, Johnson, Hall, Simpson, Ward, Ferguson, Price, Cummins, Bridges, Edwards, Baker and Jackson.

Esquimalt Juveniles — Collins, Harris, Okell, Jacklin, Warwick, H. Hay, Gordon, Thompson, Miller, Wilkinson, J. Hay and Davies.

Esquimalt—Bromley, Sweeney, Joe Watt, Hosmer, Mesher, Banks, Burnett, Stewart, John Watt, Wagland, Collier and Nicol.

Esquimalt Juniors—DeCosta, V Hicks, Warder, MacLean, S. Hicks, Wallace, Wright, Stewart, T Wallace, Anderson and Wills. Reserves, Brien and March.

Westholme — Robertson, Carmichael, Hunter, Carver, Cooper, Crawford, McNaughton, Tipper, Ross and Davidson. Reserves, Sneddon and Stevens.

Five C's—Willoughby, Lloyd, Harwood, Reg. Shanks, Sands, Bernswell, Sutton, Symons, E Quainton, A. Groves and Bob Shanks.

Victoria City—Bridges, Margison, Tuckwell, Stofer, Preston, McBay, Cameron, D. Bissell, C. Bissell, Burns and Glancy.

DEMPSEY STILL UNDECIDED ABOUT HIS RING PLANS

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Jack Dempsey has not decided yet whether he will fight again, as he had agreed to do for Tex Rickard, he announced today. His plans for aiding the promotion of the Sharkey-Stribling fight at Miami Beach, February 27, also are unsettled as the result of a possible shift in this event.

RUGBY TEAMS TO FIGHT FOR TOP POSITION

Navy and Scottish Will Clash in Important Battle at Willows Oval Tomorrow Afternoon

PIRATES' FIFTEEN TO BATTLE J.B.A.A.

Navy and Canadian Scottish Rugby fifteens will clash at the Willows Oval tomorrow in an effort to decide which team shall go to the top in the league standing for the second half of the schedule. In their last games each of the fifteens were successful, the sailors defeating the Pirates and the Scottish the Bays. The winner in tomorrow's struggle will take the coveted position for one week.

The militiamen are expected to be at full strength, while the Navy will be minus some of their regular players, who are either on leave or patrol duty. However, the tars are famous for their fighting spirit and, regardless of their line-up, they will be out to take the measure of the Scottish.

At Cranmore Road the J.B.A.A. will seek to get into the win column at the expense of the Pirates. The Bays, for many years local champions, have failed to get into their championship stride this season. Tomorrow, however, they have hopes of grabbing off a pair of points from the Buccaneers.

Both games will start at 2:45 o'clock.

Pirates Sign Pitcher

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Jan 10.—Steve Suetonic, a product of the Pittsburgh sand lots, and last year star pitcher of the Indianapolis club, of the American Association, has been signed by the Pittsburgh National League club.

Clyde Barnhart, veteran outfielder, a pitcher to be delivered later and an unstated amount of cash were given in exchange for the youngster.

Leafs Sign New Man

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—A wire has been received from Frank Selke, business manager of the Toronto club, of the National Hockey League, reporting that he has acquired Eric Pettinger, former Fort William amateur hockey star, from the Boston club of the league and any rights the Boston Bruins may have to the services of Hugh Plaxton, of the Toronto Varsity Grads, Olympic champions. No details of the deal are given.

Tex Rickard's Autobiography

This is the only autobiography written by Tex Rickard. It was prepared in collaboration with Bozeman Bulger for publication exclusively by The Colonist and the North American Newspaper Alliance shortly before Rickard's death he dictated the last chapter of his autobiography to their memory in New York. Following is the fourth installment of the autobiography, which is appearing in daily chapters.

BY TEX RICKARD

(In Collaboration With Bozeman Bulger; Written Exclusively for The Colonist and the North American Newspaper Alliance.)

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There was a constantly discussed report in our section that Jesse James had never taken off his gunbelt since he first joined the Guerillas under Quantrell. He had even learned to sleep, it was said, so that if awakened in the night his hand would be on the grip of his gun as his eyes opened. That bell meant more to me than John L. Sullivan's would have.

It is needless to say that we little boys regarded Jesse James as a great hero. I guess most boy did I had a big admiration, though, in that I played with Bob Palmer, the little son of Mrs. Alice Palmer, the sister of Jesse and Frank James. Our yards were just across the street from each other.

Little Bob had assured me that the report of his uncle never taking off his belt was correct. He had peeked through the keyhole to watch him go to bed.

On one occasion, we were told (and we believed), a man found Jesse's hiding place and sneaked up to the door, which he found unlocked. A ray of moonlight flashed on the blue steel of his gun as he drew it to shoot the outlaw sleeping. Before he could pull the trigger there was a flash from Jesse's bed. The first bullet shot the gun from the man's hand and the next went through his heart. In ten minutes Jesse and his gang were riding to another town.

SYMPATHIZED WITH BANDIT

The virtues of Jesse James were openly extolled in our town. There was much sympathy for him, many people believing that he had been wronged and forced into banditry. He made a point of never riding in Texas. When he stopped at a farm house or ranch he always gave the woman a $20 gold piece, and paid well for everything he got. These people would not only hide him, but would try to throw the sheriff's posse off the trail.

I remember his virtues being pointed out one time in a party of cattle men. Like all little boys I listened. The James gang had just held up and robbed a train. In going through the passenger coach one of the bandits had found a jug of corn whisky. He called the attention of the others to it, yelling in glee.

"Drop that!" ordered Jesse, the leader.

With that he fired a 44 bullet through the jug, shattering it and scattering whisky all over. The business of holding up the frightened passengers then proceeded, the fumes of whisky filling the car.

"If you want to drink, do it when I tell you," Jesse told the man. "But never let a drop of whisky pass your lips during business hours!"

That story went the rounds, the idea being to impress upon folks how Jesse James was pointing out the evils of drinking.

As I have said my eyes were riveted on his belt that night. Yes, there it was, even while he kissed his sister.

The first time Jesse James removed that belt he was killed.

With several of the gang, including Bob Ford, he had gone to his sister's home in Missouri. Feeling particularly good, Jesse had offered to help his sister fix up the house. They were all in the dining-room, Bob Ford sitting at the table.

A picture on the wall was not right.

"Wait! I straighten it," said Jesse.

The outlaw got on a chair to hang the picture. He found his belt in the way. Forgetting for once, he undid the buckle and laid the belt, with the pistol in it, on the table.

SHOT WITH HANDS UP

Then he reached up with both hands to hang the picture. It was the first time anybody ever had seen Jesse James with his hands up. Bob Ford caught the idea in a flash. Reaching for Jesse's belt he pulled one of the six-shooters and shot his leader dead.

A big reward had been offered for Jesse James, dead or alive. Ford thought it was dead. Yes, he had had rid the country of the most dangerous outlaw ever spoke of, and well for everything he got. These people would not only hide him, they would try to throw the sheriff's posse off the trail.

SUN BRIAR SCORES ANOTHER TRIUMPH

Cochrane's Three-Year-Old Sets Fast Pace in Feature at Tijuana—Neida Is Surprise

(Special to The Colonist)

TIJUANA, Jan. 10.—Colonel A. Cochrane, one of the turf's richest patrons, scored another capital triumph in his Western itinerary, when his Sun Briar, three-year-old colt, headed home in front in the San Luis Rey Handicap, the feature number of today's card. With Willie Kelsay riding keen of rate and heel, the colt came to the front after a terrific stretch duel with Eddie Abram and Proctor Hug, the pacemakers. Nunakan raced the distance of five and a half furlongs in 1:04 3-5, within a fifth second of the record time made by Golden Prince last Sunday. This wonderful colt demonstrated again that he can spot such foes as Eddie Abram seven pounds and Proctor Hug ten pounds and take care of himself in the opening.

Zest, a three-year-old son of the famed "money" horse Zev and owned by the wealthy Rancocas Stables made a fine of his first bow to a Western audience in a six-furlong allowance race, in which Lady Vava broke on top and stuck right there throughout. Zest's rider, Jackie Jones, did not seem so fond of himself, and was far from his usual high class handling ability. The public was given an example of how an even money favorite can be unnerved outside of the picture by difference of "lapses noodles."

Near and actual favorites soared in every event, keeping the prices down, until the last race, where Neida, at a little brown bell, took up the rake-off for two-dollar mutuels of $10.80, $19.20 and $28.40.

Results follow:

First race—Six furlongs:
Flying Mazie (Kelsay) 4.4.50 3.3.30 3.30
Beartaint (Jones) 3.30 3.30
Time, 1:18 4-5. Also ran: Ed Lark, Mi Rancho, Kenilworth, Tarrant, Sabre, Mist Wing, Sequoia Park.

Second race—Steeplechase course:
W. Tax (Nuttall) 7.20 3.80 2.30
Miss Bennett (Priestl) 3.90 2.60
Queen Olivia (Brown) 2.60
Time, 3.29. Also ran: Trapeze, O'Boon, Ocean Breeze, Ocean Breeze, Ocean Breeze

FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

LATE SELLING MAKES CUT IN RALLY GAINS

Many Issues Pushed Up More Than 11 Points — Profit-Taking Reduces Most Advances

TRADING LIGHT IN MARKET FOR BONDS

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Developments tending to strengthen belief that the New York Federal Reserve Bank would not increase its rediscount today gave impetus to operations for the advance on the stock market today, and scores of issues were pushed up from 2 to more than 11 points.

Further nervousness cropped out toward the close, however, and heavy profit taking reduced most gains.

Merchandising, chemical, tobacco and steel shares were prominent in the upswing. National Bellas Hess mounted 11 points, while American Machine & Foundry made an extreme gain of about 10 points, but lost much of the gains. Radio sold up 9 points, then lost more than half its gains. General Motors and Chrysler turned lower at the close, and Pierce Arrow encountered realizing. Hupp was well supported.

Western Union and Mathieson Alkali made gains of more than 6 points each. In the rails St. Paul preferred touched 81¼, the highest price since the reorganization, and Pere Marquette climbed 6 points.

American Express fell more than 9 points, and National Tea lost 8, while General American Tank Car, Commercial Solvents, Greene Cananea and Commercial Investment Trust sagged 2 to 3 points.

Foreign exchanges were marked by firmness. The Canadian dollar again sagged slightly, and Japanese yen dropped 10 points to 45.45c.

The bond market marked time today. Trading was comparatively light and displayed the customary Thursday nervousness, with traders apparently inclined to await the announcement of brokers' loans, which showed a small decline.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Foreign exchanges easy.

France—3.90 11-16; cables 3.91
Italy—5.23¼; cables 5.23¼
Belgium—13.90
Germany—23.73
Holland—40.10¼
Norway—26.64¼
Sweden—26.73
Denmark—26.67
Switzerland—19.24¾
Greece—1.29¼
Poland—11.20
Czechoslovakia—2.96
Jugoslavia—1.76
Austria—14.10
Rumania—60½
Argentine—42.20
Brazil—11.90
Tokio—45.45
Shanghai—63.75
Montreal—99.76¼

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Demand 484 11-16; cables 485 1-16; sixty-day bills on banks 480 1-16.

AT VICTORIA

Buying 483, selling 486.

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Allis Chalmers	185	183	182
Allied Chem	250	291	295
Amerada Corpn	39-6	39-2	39-2
Am Can	118-3	116-4	117-4
Am Car & Fdy	104-4	103-2	103-2
Am Pwr Power	80-2	80	80
Am Locomotive	112	111	111
Am Smelters	97-5	96-4	96-4
Am Steel Fdy	73	80	73
Am Sugar	84-3	83-7	83-7
Am Sum Tob	34-4	34-4	34-4
Am Tel & Tel	193-6	194-6	195
Am Tobacco	177	170	177
Am Tobacco "B"	170-6	171-4	170-6
Am Woolens	30-2	30	30
Anaconda	131-6	130	130-3
Armour "A"	18-2	17-3	17-6
Ass'd Dry Goods	70-6	68-6	68-6
Atlantic Gulf	60	60	60
Atlantic Refinery	66-3	64	64-3
Atchison	194-4	192-6	193-3
Auburn Motors	130	180	180
Baltimore & Ohio	122	125-2	123
Bangor & Ar'st'k	60	63-4	60
Bethlehem Steel	86-2	84-4	84-7
Brooklyn Manhat	77-4	78-2	78-6
California Packing	78-7	76-4	78-4
Calumet & Ariz	137-5	136-7	136-1
Cal & Hecla	48-5	45-4	45-7
Can Dry Ginger Ale	79-4	78-7	79-4
Canadian Pacific	241-5	230	239
Carro De Pasco	130	106-4	107-6
Certainteed Prod	37-2	37-6	37-3
Chesapeake & Ohio	216-6	216	216-6
Chile Copper	74-4	73-7	74-4
Chic. Gt. Western	21-7	20-6	21-3
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	36-2	34-4	36
Chic. & Northwest	88-6	86-6	88-6

	High	Low	Close
Chic., R.I. & Pac	138	135-3	133-6
Chrysler Motor	136-5	133-7	134-4
Coca Cola	169-5	166-4	169-5
Congoleum Nairn	31-3	30-3	30-4
Colo Fuel & Iron	73-3	71-3	72-3
Columbia Gas	139-7	138-7	139-7
Cons Gas	108-4	107	108-4
Cont Motor	22-3	21-7	22
Corn Products	93-6	93-5	93-6
Crucible Steel	93-3	90-7	92-4
Curtiss Aero	159-3	150	158
Davison Chemical	64-6	64	64-4
Dupont Powder	506-3	500-3	500-3
Eastman Kodak	186-3	184	186
Elec Power	47	46	46-5
Elec Storage Batt	87-7	86-7	87-7
Erie	69-3	67-4	69
Famous Players	50-7	50-3	50-6
Foundation Co	49	48-3	48
Fox Film "A"	95-6	95	95-1
Fleischmann Co	80-4	78-7	80-4
Freeport Texas	54-1	51-5	52-3
Gabriel Snubbers	30	30	20
General Am Tank	101-7	99-2	99-7
General Asphalt	77-3	77	77-3
General Electric	241	237-6	237-6
General Motors	81-6	80-5	80-6
General Ry Signal	100	99-6	99-6
Gold Dust	79	76-4	79-6
Goodrich Rubber	102-7	100-4	101-3
Graham-Paige	55-3	51-4	53-1
Granby	86-6	86-4	86-6
Great North Ore	30	29	29
Great North pfd	110-6	108-5	110-3
Gt. West Sugar	38	37-4	37-5
Greene Cananea	175-6	173-3	174-4
Gulf States Steel	70-7	69-3	70
Howe Sound	71-3	69-3	69-3
Hudson Motor	89	88-5	87-2
Hupp Motors	81	79-1	81
Illinois Central	143	144	144
Inspiration	46-3	46	46
Int Comb Eng	72-4	71-4	71-4
Int. Harvester	95-4	95-4	95-4
Int Match pfd	87	86-5	87
Int Paper	30-4	30	30
Int Pete	56-3	56-2	56-3
Int. Nickel	56-5	55-1	55-4
Int. Tel & Tel	201-7	200-3	201-3
Johns-Manville	194	190-3	194
Kan. City South.	90	93	93-4
Kelvinator	18-4	18	18
Kennecott Copper	158-4	157-3	157-4
Kolster Radio	78	76	76-4
Mack Truck	107	104-7	106-7
Marland Oil	46-6	44	44-4
Marlin Rockwell	74-4	74-4	74-4
Maytag Co.	32-4	35-4	32-4
Mid Cont'al Pete	36-4	35-4	35-6
Miss Pacific	87-1	86-6	86-7
Miss. Pacific pfd	132-6	131-7	132-6
Montgomery Ward	146-6	145	145
Nash Motors	105-4	103	103-4
National Biscuit	187	187	187
Natl Cash Reg	100-4	99	99
Natl Dairy Prod	131-3	130	130
Natl Power & Light	45	44-4	44-7
N.Y. Air Brake	45-4	44	44
Norfolk & West	191-6	191-6	191-6
North American	85-3	93	93-3
Northern Pacific	100	108-4	108-4
N.Y. Central	188-4	186-7	188-5
N.Y., N.H. & Hart	80-4	80	80-3
N.Y., Ont. & West.	29-4	29-3	29-4
Packard Motor	145	144-1	142-1
Pan American B	46-4	46	46
Pennsylvania R.R.	70-5	70-3	70-3
Pere Marquette	160	156-3	160
Phillips Pete	44	43-4	46-5
Pierce Arrow	37-6	35	36-4
Postum Co	77	75-3	76
Producers & Ref	23	22	22
Pullman Co	85-4	87-1	87-7
Radio	373-6	360	367-4
Reading	108-4	106	108-4
Reo Motors	30-2	29-6	29-7
Rep. Iron & Steel	84-6	83-1	83-3
Royal Dutch	56	56	55
Schulte	41	40-3	40-7
Sears Roebuck	179-4	177-1	177-3
Shattuck-Denn	22-7	23-5	22-7
Shell Union	26-7	26-4	26-6
Simmons Co	90-6	96-6	90-2
Sinclair Cons	43-6	43	43-2
Sloss Sheffield	130	130	130
Southern Pacific	130	130	130
So Calif Edis	54-7	54-6	54-7
Southern Railway	156-4	156-5	155-5
Standard Milling	104	100-4	100
Standard Gas	84-7	84-4	84-5
Standard Oil, Cal	71-3	70-5	70-3
Standard Oil, N.J.	55-6	53-1	53-5
Standard Oil, N.Y.	44-6	44-1	43-5
Stewart Warner	135-7	132-7	135-7
St. Louis & S. Fran	118-7	117-4	118-7
Stromberg Carb	90	87-6	87-6
Studebaker	87-6	86	87-6
Texas Co	65-1	64-5	64-4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	75-7	70	70-3
Timken Roller	107	148-7	157
Tobacco Prod	20-7	98-4	99-6
Union Oil of Calif	99-6	56-3	56-3
Union Pacific	220	216-7	216-7
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	47	46-4	47
U.S. Ind Alco	131-4	139-6	139-6
U.S. Rubber	47-7	44-6	47-5
U.S. Steel	165-1	163-3	164
Underwood Typ	90-4	92-7	90-4
Union Carbide	207	201-3	201-3
Util Power & Light	41-7	41	41-4
Vanadium	101-1	100	100-4
Victor Talk Mach	100-5	130-5	101-1
Wabash	75-4	73	75-4
Westing Air Brake	48	47-6	47-6
Westing Elec	149	145	145
White Motor	44	42-6	43-4
Willys Overland	24	23-3	26-3
Woolworth	211-1	209-6	211-1
Wright Aer Corp	271	264	268-3
Yale Towne	63-4	63-4	63-4
Y'ngstn Sh & Tu	113	111-4	112
Yel Tr & Coach	44	43-6	43-4

ENCOURAGED BY RENEWAL RATES

Rallies Early Features of New York Stock Market—Good Undertone Maintained

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Rallies were the early market features, and encouragement during the first hour resulted from the renewal rates of 6 per cent, which was the lowest since mid-November. Strength in the market continued up until the noon hour, helped in part by the prominence of numerous issues now in the process of readjustment; but a more cautious attitude was the noon hour development, and rather liberal profit-taking resulted, in which values sagged, but on the whole showed a good undertone. In fact some of the specialties reflected good support throughout the dealings.

In the event of lower brokers loans figures sentiment is likely to again shift to the constructive side, at least, pending the mid-month financing programme.

Whitney Letter

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Limited)

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Whitney, of the Wall Street Financial Bureau, says today:

A 6 per cent renewal rate, which is the lowest renewal rate since November 15 last year, and a decline in the call rate as low as 5 1-2 per cent in the outside market, was early in the day interpreted as indicating that there would be no change in the New York rediscount rate, with the result that, despite another day of exceptional irregularity, the market, as measured by the averages, showed an advance for both rails and industrial groups.

The United States Steel tonnage statement likewise contributed help to the constructive side of the market with an increase approximately three times the amount which was expected, but the decrease in brokers' loans for the week, which amounted to a little more than seventeen millions, did not approach the size of decrease which was generally expected, which latter factor will undoubtedly be offset by the fact that official action on the rediscount rate, leaving that rate unchanged, has put at rest at least for the time being rumors which were broadcast at the end of last week and early part of this week.

St. Paul preferred has now fulfilled expectations of establishing a new record in the issue by passing into the sixties, and there is no reason why the advance should not continue until substantially higher prices have been recorded. Allied Chemical among the high-priced industrials has likewise recorded a new top and is expected to be across 300 before anything in the way of splitups or stock dividends, etc., is acted upon by directors.

In the local traction group, Interborough Rapid Transit was absorbed in sufficient quantity to carry the issue to a new top for the year, a development which you have been advised to expect not only in this issue, but in Brooklyn Manhattan Transit and Manhattan Modified. In fact, I believe that at least for the balance of the year it will not be possible to buy any of the local tractions at lower prices than they have been obtainable at this week. Loews added but little to its gain of the previous session, but is expected to establish itself firmly in the seventies today. Consolidated Gas retained its advance of yesterday and is another investment type of issue which is scheduled for new record prices.

Continue to buy Erie while it is obtainable below 70, Missouri, Kansas & Texas below 55, and Canadian Pacific below 245.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Ass'd. Breweries	34-4	34	34-4
Alta Pacific Grain	57-4	57	57-4
Abitibi	40	41-4	41-4
Asbestos	17	17	17
Asbestos pfd	61-2	61-2	61-5
Atlantic Sugar	14	14	14
B.A. Oil	45	65-4	54
Bell Telephone	171	171	171
Brazilian Trac	66-6	70-4	70-6
B.C. Fish & Pack	30-4	29	30
Brompton Paper	30	35	30
Can Bronze	75-4	75	75
Can Celanese com	34	34	34
Can Celanese pfd	60	53	53
Can Cement com	31-6	31-6	31-6
Can Cement pfd	90	90	90
Can Car Fdy com	124	124	124
Can Car Fdy pfd	130	130	130
Canada Gypsum	85	80	85
Can S.S. com	38	38	38
Can S.S. pfd	83-4	83-4	83-4
Can Cottons	110	110	110
Can Ind Alcohol	41	46	41
Carling Brewing Co	33	33	33
Cons M. & S.	280	270	280
Dominion Bridge	95-4	94	95-4
Dominion Glass	163	153	153
Dominion Textile	115	114-4	115
Dryden Paper	34	33-6	34
Hiram Walker	66	60	62
Imperial Tobacco	11	11	11
Lake of Woods Milling	56	54-6	54-6
Massey Harris	83	82	83
McColl Frontenac	92-2	91-4	90-2
Montreal Power	100	100-4	100-4
Mond Nickel	45	84-4	84-4
Noranda	80-4	84-4	84-4
National Breweries	130	100	124
Ogilvie Milling Co	400	400	400
Cadb Fersey	101	133	131
Penmans Ltd	100	100	100
Power Corpn	80	80	80-4
Shawinigan	67	67-3	67-5
Steel of Canada	337	350	337
Winnipeg Elec	100	100-4	100

Victoria Stock Exchange

MINING

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver		1.40
Bayview	.04	.06
Big Missouri	1.00	
Dalhousie		.08
Dunwell		.20
George Copper		9.75
Glacier Creek		.08
Gladstone		.07
Golconda	.80	
Independence		.15
Int. Coal & Coke	.04	..
Kootenay Florence	.21	
Lakeview	.01½	
Leadsmith	.01¾	
Melaspina		.10
Marmot Metals		.10
National Silver (O.S.)	.22	
Oregon Copper	.65	.70
Premier	2.00	2.33
Porter	.72	
Prosperity	1.05	1.00
Rufus-Argenta	.29½	.31
Ruth-Hope	.60	.61
Silver Crest	.09½	
Silverado	1.10	1.16
Silversmith	.09½	
Sunloch	3.00	
Terminus		.14
Woodbine	.05¾	

OILS

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Montana		.05¾

UNLISTED

	Bid	Asked
Beaver		.31
Silvertip		.23
Stewart Lands	3.00	9.00
Wellington		.20
George Enterprise		.33
Northern Light		.22
Marmot Gold		.10
Topley Richfield	.50	
Blue Bird		.25
United Empire		.07½
Mohawk	.09½	.09¾
Noble Five		.70
Morton Woolsey		.07

SALES

Big Missouri—130 at 1.00, 100 at 1.00; 100 at 1.05.
Lakeview—3,000 at .02, 1,000 at .02, 1,000 at .02; 500 at .00¼.
National Silver—3,000 at .23.
Porter—100 at .70.
Oregon Copper—300 at .65, 000 at .66, 13,000 at .66.
Prosperity—1,000 at 1.00, 500 at 1.00; 100 at 1.00, 100 at 1.00.
Mohawk—1,000 at .09¼, 3,000 at .09¼, 1,500 at .09½, 5,000 at .09½, 500 at .09¾.

Calgary Oil Stocks

(Supplied by R. P. Castle & Co., Ltd.)

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Advance	700	.30	.00	.00
Alta P. Cons	500	.50	.60	.60
Brit. Dom.	2,120	.85	.65	.65
Calmont	200	.30	.00	.00
Dalhousie	460	1.77½	1.77½	1.77½
Devenish	2,174	.00	.46	.44
Ille Alberta	3,479	.00	.63	.62
McD. Segur	1,000	3.30	3.80	3.30
McLeod	1,000	4.53½	4.30	4.52½
Mid-West	30	.23	.22	.22
Mill City	413	.00	.00	.00
Okalta, com	3	105.00	105.00	105.00
Okalta pfd	9	245.00	245.00	245.00
Royalite	45	65.00	62.00	65.00
Signal Hill	50	.14	.14	.14
Spooner	50	1.30	1.50	1.30
Turner Valley	200	.45	.45	.45
United Oils	220	1.75	1.70	1.73
Vulcan	030	1.07½	1.30	1.07½
Regent	1,420	.42	.46	.42

Total sales, 10,728.

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE

Interest due—		Buy	Sell
1933.	1st May & Nov	102.15	102.65
1937.	1st June & Dec	101.70	100.10

WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE

		Buy	Sell
1931.	1st Apr & Oct	100.05	100.40
1937.	1st Mar & Sept	102.30	102.00

(Payable New York)

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%

		Buy	Sell
1932.	1st May & Nov	100.00	101.23
1934.	1st May & Nov	102.00	102.25

DOMINION LOAN

		Buy	Sell
1934.	15th Apr & Oct, 5%	102.15	102.45
1940.	1st Mar & Sept, 4½%	97.70	98.10
1944.	15th Apr & Oct, 4½%	98.30	98.80
1946.	1st Feb & Aug, 4½%	98.40	99.00
1934.	1st Feb & Aug (C.R.R.), 5%	Mkt	
1957.	1st Jan & July (C.R.R.), 4½%	Mkt	

Add accrued interest to date.
1937, 66 days, $03 per $100.
1932, 1934, 70 days, 1.003 per $100.
1943, 87 days, 1.107 per $100.
1944, 67 days, 1.073 per $100.
1946, 102 days, 1.096 per $100.
Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans, ⅛ of 1%.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—The raw sugar market was quiet today and unchanged at 3.80 for spots, duty paid, and no sales were reported.

In refined the demand continues of a hand-to-mouth character with buyers not inclined to buy ahead owing to the unsettled tone in the raw market. Prices were unchanged at 5.15 for fine granulated. Later all refiners announced that at the opening tomorrow their quotations would be reduced 10 points to 5.05 cents for fine granulated.

Money at Work

Earning, Saving, Investing

Would you speculate on EGGS?

The average man knows much more about eggs than he does about stocks, still he speculates on the stocks, although he would not think of speculating on eggs.

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The average man knows what an egg is, he knows where the demand for the egg is, and also where the supply comes from.

Does he know as much about any stock? Probably not. He may know what a stock is, but the chances are that he does not know exactly where the products of that company go, or where they come from.

Then why not speculate on eggs? All that remains to be done is to figure out how many are to be eaten and how many are to be laid at a certain time. That solution will enable anyone to estimate the future price of eggs and to profit thereby.

Will the average man try it? No. He realizes that he can't predict the future, even with all the known facts at hand. Yet, understanding this, why will he try to predict future market prices of stocks about which he knows almost nothing?

WHEAT MARKET KEEPS STRONG

CHICAGO PRICES APPARENT CAUSE OF STRENGTH AT WINNIPEG

New York Speculative Interests Believed to Be Forcing Prices Higher

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 10.—The wheat market was decidedly strong again today and after working ⅛ cent lower during the early part of the session prices reacted and climbed about 1 cent over the previous close and held strong. Most of the strength was apparently coming from Chicago, where prices advanced more than 1½ cents. The buying here was also largely by Chicago and New York interests, making local sentiment more bullish than ever. Trade volume was large, offerings being fairly liberal on the scale up, while the pool was also credited with selling a small volume of May at $1.23. However, the offerings were well taken.

Export business was fair overnight, but much smaller than it has been any day this week, possibly 600,000 bushels, largely Manitobas. It is believed here that New York speculative interests were taking hold of the grain markets to force prices higher, based on the statement that President-elect Hoover has a definite programme for farm relief in the United States.

There was further short covering today, but this is now believed to have pretty well run its course with a large long interest now existing. The strength in corn was also helping wheat. In the local cash demand there was a better demand for the low grades.

Coarse Grains—Oats, barley and rye were all substantially higher and continue to follow the trend of wheat. The buying today was mostly of a speculative character, with the undertone strong and a good foreign inquiry for barley and rye, although export business was slack.

Flax—This market was weak. No interest was shown by crushers, who were out of the market, while there was some scattered liquidation.

FUTURES

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	122⅝	123⅝	121⅞	123⅝
July	124⅝	125⅝	123⅞	125⅝
October	123⅝	124⅝	123⅞	124⅝
Oats—				
May	57¼	50¼	50⅞	57⅝
July	50⅝	57⅝	20⅝	50⅝
October	53	55⅝	33	00⅛
Rye—				
May	106⅛	107¼	105⅝	107⅛
July	105⅛	105⅛	104⅝	100⅝
October	100⅝	103	100⅝	101⅝
Barley—				
May	73⅝	74⅝	73¼	74⅛
July	73⅝	73⅛	72¼	73⅛
October	00⅝	70	00⅛	00⅝
Flax—				
July	197⅛	197⅛	197	197⅛
May	197⅝	197⅝	196⅛	197

LIVERPOOL

Open ⅜ to ⅝ up.
Close ⅜ to ⅝ up.

CASH GRAIN CLOSE

Wheat—1 N. 118⅛, 2 N. 114⅝, 3 N. 111, No. 4, 102⅝, No. 5, 95⅛, No. 6, 81⅛, feed, 73⅝, track, 118⅝.

Oats—2 C.W. 64⅝, 3 C.W. 60⅛, extra 1 feed, 53⅛, 1 feed, 49⅛, 2 feed, 47, rejected, 43¼, track, 61⅝.

Barley—3 C.W. 70⅝, 4 C.W. 66⅛, rejected, 63⅛, feed, 60, track, 70⅝.

Flax—1 N.W.C. 191, 2 C.W. 187, 3 C.W. 151, rejected 170, track, 191.

Rye—1 C.W. 101⅝, 2 C.W. 101⅝, 3 C.W. 96⅝, rejected, 84⅛, track, 101⅝.

WHEAT GAINS ON CHICAGO MARKET

May, Up Five Cents, Has Recovered Half of Decline From August High

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Jan. 10.—It was evident that short covering in wheat was not completed yesterday, and with more of this class of trading and heavy new buying, our market scored a further sharp advance with the close at about the best of the day. May, at the top today, showed an advance of 5 cents over the low of last Saturday, and in less than a week has recovered nearly half of its decline from the high point of last August.

The East was credited with good buying, especially of the July. The seaboard reported about 600,000 for export from Winnipeg together with a small business in rye, although early cables indicated unwillingness on the part of foreigners to follow the advance here. Receipts in the United States and Canada are running much smaller than a year ago. The effect of the recent freezing of snow and rain in the central part of the Winter wheat belt is through reports of a probable smothering out of acreage by ice. Suggest a trading attitude after this rise, with preference for purchases on good breaks.

Extensive profit-taking early was quickly absorbed, and corn resumed its upward trend with all deliveries again making new highs on the crop. Buying was persistent and a considerable part of it was in small lots on orders placed by the country. Outside trade broadened materially. May, at the top today, showed an advance of 5 cents above the inside figure of Tuesday and offers for all next week in many instances, are already good. There were reports of good sales of cash grain to exporters in the West, with advices to the effect that Westerners were experiencing difficulty in securing corn to fill sales via the gulf. The seaboard intimated a good foreign demand. Argentine was higher, with some sections there still very dry. Country offerings were large, as the advance in the futures permitted the payment of 75 cents to farmers over rather a large territory. We look for still higher prices, but would await breaks before making purchases.

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Jan. 10.—Futures quotations:

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
January	100⅛a	131⅝b	118⅛a	101⅛b
March	121⅝b	123⅛a	121⅛a	123⅝b
May	123⅝b	106⅛a	123⅝a	125⅛a

Cash: No. 1 N. 108⅛, 3 N. 117⅛, 3 N., 110, 4 wheat, 100, 6 wheat, 66⅛, 6 wheat, 61, feed, 77⅛.

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

MINING

	Bid	Asked
Bayview	.04½	
American		.06
B.C. Silver	1.00	1.06
Beaver Silver	.19⅝	.20
Big Missouri	1.03	1.06
Cork Province	.20	.26
Cotton Belt	.45	.06
Dunwell		.31
Duthie	.45	.70
George Copper	9.00	9.25
Georgia River	.34	.06
Gladstone		.08
Golconda	.61½	.06
Grandview	.58½	.06
Independence	.15	.13¼
Indian	.06½	.07
International C. & O.	.34	.35⅛
Kootenay Florence	.33¼	.33⅛
Kootenay King	.41	.45
L. & L.	.07	.07⅝
Lakeview	.01⅝	.02⅛
Leadsmith	.01⅝	
Lucky Jim	.34	.35⅛
Morton Woolsey	.05⅝	.06
Marmot Gold	.06⅝	.06
Marmot Metals	.06½	.06
Mohawk	.06⅝	.06½
Noble Five	.78	.78⅛
National Silver	.23⅛	.24
Planet	.06⅝	.07
Pend Oreille, com	10.70	11.00
Porter-Idaho	.72⅛	.74
Premier	2.25	2.28
Rufus-Argenta	.29½	.31
Ruth Hope	.63	.64
Reeves McDonald	1.03	1.06
Silverado	1.12	1.17
Silvercrest	.09½	.10½
Silversmith	.10	
Slocan King	.05	
Snowflake	.31	.06
Silvercup	.43	.44
Sunloch	3.60	3.70
Terminus		.14
Toric	5.50	2.00
Wellington	.10	.10½
Whitewater, com	1.05	1.60
Woodbine	.06⅝	

OILS

	Bid	Asked
A.P. Consolidated	.66	.64
Advance	.08	
Dalhousie	1.60	1.63
Devenish	.45	.46
Pabyad	.04	.06
Rame	2.39	3.00
Calmont	.00	1.15
McLeod	4.75	
Illinois Alberta	.07	
Mayland	3.06	3.15

MORNING SALES

Beaver Silver—1,000 at .20, 000 at .21.
Big Missouri—1,000 at .97, 1,225 at .99, 50,600 at .99½, 1,000 at .99, 4,200 at .99½, 34,000 at 1.00, 5,500 at 1.01, 4,050 at 1.02, 00,600 at 1.00, 5,350 at 1.04, 4,000 at 1.00.
Cork Province—2,000 at .25.
Duthie Mines—100 at .70, 200 at .71.
George Copper—50 at 9.00, 50 at 9.12; 130 at 9.75.
Georgia River—1,700 at .33.
Golconda—1,000 at .63.
Grandview—2,000 at .60, 1,500 at .60½, 500 at .59, 400 at .59½, 20 at .60.
Independence—3,000 at .15.
Kootenay Florence—15,500 at .33¼; 1,000 at .33½.
Kootenay King—500 at .38½.
Lakeview—4,000 at .00.
Leadsmith—1,000 at .01⅝.
Lucky Jim—1,200 at .35.
Marmot Gold—3,000 at .06¼, 5,500 at .06.
Glasord (US)—3,000 at .04, 1,000 at .04½.
Marmot Metals—3,000 at .06, 9,000 at .06⅛.
Mohawk—6,000 at .06⅝, 5,100 at .06½, 200 at .06.
Morton Woolsey—3,000 at .06⅝, 1,500 at .06.
National Silver—3,250 at .33, 3,000 at .23½, 3,000 at .24.
Noble Five—7,400 at .69, 630 at .69½, 13,400 at .60, 1,000 at .60½, 200 at .70.
Pend Oreille—50 at 10.00, 070 at 10.25, 43 at 10.00.
Planet Mines—200 at .62, 1,000 at .63½, 3,000 at .64, 1,500 at .64½, 1,000 at .66, 1,000 at .66½.
Premier Gold—33 at 2.26.
Silvercrest—1,000 at .09½.
Rufus-Argenta—1,500 at .30, 5,500 at .29½, 100 at .30.
Reeves McDonald—1,500 at 1.02, 500 at 1.00, 1,100 at 1.00, 200 at 1.00.
Ruth Hope—4,000 at .63.
Silversmith—500 at .10.
Silverado—45 at 1.00, 100 at 1.08, 1,000 at 1.08, 1,000 at 1.10, 200 at 1.14, 1,000 at 1.12, 700 at 1.13, 200 at 1.17, 500 at 1.10.
Snowflake—300 at .35.
Sunloch—500 at 3.70, 600 at 3.72.
Topley Richfield—700 at .50, 2,500 at .51.
Toric Mines—200 at 5.40, 100 at 5.50.
Wellington—1,000 at .10⅝.
Whitewater—300 at 1.40, 100 at 1.45.
Woodbine—33,300 at .06, 500 at .06, 5,500 at .06½, 1,500 at .06⅝, 2,000 at .06.
Advance Oil—200 at .60.
A.P. Consolidated—700 at .66.
Calmont Oil—200 at .90.
Dalhousie Oil—100 at 1.79, 50 at 1.60.
Pabyan Pete—1,300 at .06.
Home Oil—200 at 3.00, 1,100 at 3.00, 500 at 3.40.
McLeod Oil—10 at 4.50, 50 at 4.80.
Mayland Oil—1,373 at 3.12.

AFTERNOON SALES

B.C. Silver—100 at 1.00.
Beaver Silver—1,000 at .19⅝, 500 at .20.
Big Missouri—1,550 at 1.04, 14,700 at 1.00, 11,000 at 1.00, 13,000 at 1.07, 11,300 at 1.00.
Cork Province—3,000 at .26.
Duthie—3,000 at .67.
George Copper—20 at 9.10, 500 at 9.15.
Golconda—1,000 at .61½, 1,500 at .63.
Independence—5,000 at .15.
Indian Mines—1,000 at .66.
Morton Woolsey—1,000 at .06½.
Grandview—5,700 at .60, 10,000 at .59, 3,300 at .59.
Kootenay Florence—3,700 at .33, 3,500 at .33¼, 300 at .33½.
Kootenay King—1,000 at .39, 500 at .00, 1,000 at .40½.
L. & L.—100 at .07⅛.
Lakeview—00,000 at .02.
Lucky Jim—5,000 at .35.
Marmot Gold—15,000 at .06⅝, 4,000 at .06½, 500 at .06.
American Mine—1,000 at .06⅛.
Glasord (US)—1,000 at .04, 2,000 at .04½.
Marmot Metals—2,000 at .06½, 5,000 at .06⅛.
Mohawk—13,700 at .06⅛, 100 at .06.
National Silver—250 at .23½, 1,000 at .23⅝, 3,500 at .24.
Noble Five—9,200 at .69, 10,050 at .70.
Pend Oreille—35 at 10.50, 50 at 10.60, 130 at 10.70, 70 at 10.75.
Planet Mines—600 at .66, 300 at .66½, 1,500 at .66, 1,000 at .66½.
Porter Idaho—11,000 at .70.
Reeves-McDonald—23 at 1.03, 3,100 at 1.03, 300 at 1.00.
Rufus-Argenta—300 at .30½, 3,000 at .30.
Silvercrest—1,000 at .09½, 600 at .10.
Silvercup—1,300 at .43.
Slocan King—3,000 at .05, 5,000 at .06½.
Snowflake—200 at .34, 2,000 at .00.
Sunloch—25,425 at 3.73.
Terminus—2,000 at .13½, 1,000 at .10.
Topley Richfield—4,000 at .50.
Wellington—1,000 at .10, 1,000 at .10½.
Whitewater—100 at 1.37, 300 at 1.40, 100 at 1.42.
Woodbine—31,000 at .06, 500 at .06½, 3,000 at .06⅝.
A.P. Consolidated—500 at .66.
Dalhousie Oil—100 at 1.00.
Pabyan—100 at .06.
Illinois Alberta—1,000 at .07.
Home Oil—100 at 3.25, 500 at 3.27, 500 at 3.20, 100 at 3.00, 800 at 3.00.
Mayland Oil—50 at 3.10.
McLeod—50 at 4.80, 500 at 4.80, 300 at 4.85.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Money, 3 3-8 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills, 4 1-4 to 4 5-16 per cent; three months' bills, 4 5-16 to 4 3-8 per cent.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Call money, easy; all loans 6, closing bid, 6. Time loans steady, mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 7 1-2, 4-6 months, 7 1-2. Prime mercantile paper, 5 1-4 to 5 1-2. Bankers' acceptances, unchanged.

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

FORTUNE MADE IN DECADE BY FOX FARMING

Example of Home Industry Created by Energy of Three Brothers in Wisconsin

MOTOR BUS TRAFFIC GROWS

By JOHN P. SINCLAIR
(Director, Ins. to the Farm American Reasoner Alliance)

"Nearly every industry today is controlled and concentrated in the cities, mostly in the East," said a friend of mine, discussing the new trends in industry. "How can anyone now break through the lines?"

But is this really true? I told him the story of the Fromm brothers—Ed, Henry, Nick and Walter—of the little town of Hamburg, Wis., all under forty. Ed worked his way through Normal school, mostly by collecting ginseng in the country during his spare hours. These country boys ten years ago heard about the fox farm development, and started digging wild foxes out of the woods, and selling them.

Ten years is not much in the life of a nation, and yet during that time the Fromm brothers have developed not only the largest silver fox establishment in the world but also they have become the world's largest producers of ginseng.

During 1928 they raised 21,000 silver foxes, kept 1,500 of them for breeding purposes, sold 1,500 to others for breeding, and the remaining 18,000 in New York for pelts.

Last year they received for the pelts skins sold in New York a total of $1,240,000.

Few ever have seen their establishments near Hamburg or at Thiensville, near Milwaukee. But if one should begin looking over their valuable fox pen, he would move from pen to pen, he would travel thirty miles before the inspection job was finished.

Most men would be satiated with this one achievement. But not the ambitious Fromm brothers.

TWELVE TONS OF GINSENG

They raised last year twelve tons of ginseng—24,000 pounds, and they received $12 a pound for it. Ginseng is a small three-leaf plant with red berries, and grows always in a hollow. The root is much in demand by the Chinese for medicinal and religious purposes.

But this is not all. In fact, it is not the most valuable work being carried on by the Fromm. They are students. They are value in research. So they gave Dr. R. G. Green, bacteriologist of the University of Minnesota, permission to study for fox diseases on their premises. Dr. Green's experiments, covering one of the 11,000 foxes raised in 1928 was concluded against encephalitis, medical term for sleeping sickness in animals, and is similar to lethargic encephalitis in the human family.

"The work we are doing in this field will doubtless have a great effect on research to be undertaken in the future, aiming to control and eliminate sleeping sickness in the human family," said Dr. Green.

"The animal disease is of the same family, but it was found out much about animal sleeping sickness as a result of our four years of work with the Fromm brothers. We should discover a great deal more in the next four years," concluded Dr. Green.

MOTOR BUS TRAFFIC

About $1,000,000 a day is being spent for motor bus transportation in the United States. Carl W. Stocks, editor of the Transportation, is authority for the statement that motor buses now carry 3,000,000 passengers daily, and that 3,000,000,000 passengers annually, who pay $300,000,000 for the service.

Of the 72,000 buses in operation in the United States, 66,000 operate in regular service between cities, and in many cases the daily routes are from 200 to 300 miles. There are 4,000 buses in interstate operation.

Railroad companies have purchased 1,300 buses to supplement their service, while nearly 10,000 buses are being used by 300 street railway companies. It is estimated that $500,000,000 is tied up in buses. Other Canadian are being spent by scores of cities for modern bus terminals.

One may now travel by bus from New York City to Los Angeles, and ride all the way in vehicles owned and operated by one company. The average hour bus ride in Ohio is about two and one-half cents a mile. Philadelphia has just built a $600,000 bus maintenance shop with facilities for overhauling twenty-six thousand vehicles annually, and seventy-five at one time.

"It is interesting to note," says Mr. Stocks, "that the development of long distance travel by bus comes in a great measure from a portion of the public who have never travelled before."

The next step—unification and concentration of the lines. Today there are eighty-two cities in the United States with more than 100,000 population. In only eighteen of these are the bus lines operated by other than the street railway companies. The single transportation company idea is growing—and seemed for this is becoming stronger every day, even in New York City.

SHOE IMPORTATION

Shoes, now on the free list so far as the United States is concerned, are arriving from Europe in great volume, a million more pairs in 1928 than in the preceding year. The Department of Commerce announced that shoe imports for the first eleven months of 1928 reached 2,294,000 pairs, a gain of 76 per cent over the same period of 1927.

Two-thirds of all the women's shoes imported came from Czechoslovakia, while two-thirds of the men's shoes came from Great Britain.

There are more motorcycles registered in Germany than in Japan—cars, being cheaper to buy and cost less, too, for upkeep.

July 1, last year, out of 993,000 automotive vehicles registered in the German Republic, 351,000 were passenger cars and more than 434,000 were motorcycles. The rest were buses and trucks, but not very many trucks. Just 780.

In the sale of foreign automobiles United States takes first place. But in the sale of motorcycles Great Britain takes first place, with the United States second.

MELBOURNE GROWS

American and Canadian cities are not the only ahead rapidly. The Commerce Department announced that the metropolitan population of Melbourne, Australia, has reached 1,000,000. The Province of Victoria, of which Melbourne is capital, is half based in population of 1,177,779 in 1921 it had a population of 1,000,000, and another five years saw the population go up to 76,000. Then the gold discovery in 1923 gave it a tremendous boost, for six years later Victoria had a population of 463,000. Few of these people or their descendants have left Victoria. Today the population of Victoria is estimated at 1,100,000, of which the beautiful capital city now claims one million.

STOCKS RECORD FURTHER GAINS

VIPOND AND BIG MISSOURI IN GOOD DEMAND AT TORONTO

Shorts In Latter Severely Punished by Bull Forces—General Improvement Expected

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—Further substantial gains were made today in two of the senior-priced issues so often mentioned of late recently, that is Vipond and Big Missouri, especially the latter. A large short interest has been built up in Big Missouri since the end of December, no doubt influenced to some extent by the sharp advance since then and the lack of definite information from the mine. Severe punishment was meted out to the shorts today when bull forces pushed the stock through $1.05 and up to $1.10, and usually there is evidence at this latter price at the market close.

Vipond was in good demand at $2, following favorable reports from Rouyn, and there was little stock to be had at these prices. Some shares of Lake Shore Mines came to life and many transactions were recorded at $1.15, with strong sales practically at the top for the day.

Arno should also be mentioned as a strong point, closing four points higher at $1.32 and showing relatively small trading. Bidgood weakened off to $1. Wright Hargreaves was active between $2.05 and $2.10, while Teck Hughes was active and unchanged at $2.10 to $2.15 and $19.00 respectively.

Blacow was still under accumulation between 88 and 89. The Gold Belt period has been quiet. International Nickel, Mond and Noranda, continued only moderately active, notice today and fluctuations were narrow. Fend Petroleum rallied $11.00, while Hudson Bay was unchanged from $20.25 to $20.50.

There did not appear to be the same nervous feeling in the market as was in evidence yesterday, and an improvement in the general tone may be expected before the week-end.

(Reported by R. F. Castle & Co., Ltd.)

	Sales	High	Low	Close
Alaska	7,100	3.00	2.95	3.00
Acadia	5,600	.14	.13	.13
Arno	1,000	1.32	1.32	1.32
Amulet	13,000	3.35	.08	.09
Argus	3,500	.07	.06½	.06½
Area	11,000	.03½	.03	.03
Bidgood	7,000	.95	.90	.95
Bailey	1,000	.05½	.05½	.05½
Barry Hel.	2,000	.08	.08	.08
Bralorne	1,000	.75	.75	.75
Bidgood	5,000	.88	.84	.88
Big Missouri	16,000	1.05	.90	1.05
Bonanza	4,000	.04	.03½	.04
Cal. Rexes	1,500	.04½	.04½	.04½
Buckingham	10,000	.06	.05	.06
Castle	1,000	.23	.23	.23
Coast Mon	5,000	.03	.03	.03
Chas. Rusden	3,000	.08½	.08	.08½
Cariboo	1,000	.31	.31	.31
Cons. Rus.	1,000	.31	.31	.31
Crown Res	3,000	.14	.13	.14
Dome	1,000	2.15	2.15	2.15
Gold Belt	2,000	.09	.08	.09
Gold Reef	1,000	.04	.04	.04
Granada	1,000	.03	.03	.03
Hilliker	7,000	.05	.05	.05
Hedley	1,000	.60	.60	.60
Howey	9,000	1.19	1.15	1.15
Hudson Bay	1,000	20.50	20.50	20.50
Jack Man	3,000	.31	.30	.30
Kelsey	1,000	.07	.07	.07
Kirk Lake	1,000	1.75	1.75	1.75
Kirk Lake	2,100	1.74	1.70	1.72
Kont. Con.	1,000	.03	.03	.03
Lake Cons.	1,000	1.15	1.15	1.15
Lake Shore	10,000	1.15	1.00	1.15
Marlbor.	6,000	.09	.08	.09
McKinnon	1,000	.12	.12	.12
McKinley	500	.31½	.31½	.31½
Mine Corps	1,000	.10	.10	.10
Newbar	6,000	.30	.29	.30
Noranda	1,000	32.00	32.00	32.00
Pamour K.K.	2,000	.08½	.08	.08
Pend Oreille	1,000	.11	.11	.11
Pacific Dod.	500	.02½	.02½	.02½
Prem. Boulder	1,000	.03	.03	.03
Silver Crown	2,000	.02	.02	.02
Said Anthony	5,000	.05	.05	.05
Sud. Rand.	3,000	.06	.05	.06
Tonopassah	100	2.30	2.30	2.30
Teck Hughes	1,000	2.15	2.10	2.10
Vipond Cons.	500	.10	.07	.10
Wright Har.	1,000	2.05	2.05	2.05
Wood Kirkland	3,000	1.00	.95	1.00
Yukon Gold	8,000	34.50	34.50	34.50
Yukon Gold	2,000	34.50	34.50	34.50
Yellowknife	2,300	.070	.060	.060

Eastern Markets

(News and Comment on Business Issued by Gordon Investments Corporation, Ltd.

STOCK OPINIONS

Prince Rupert Whitney—We are inclined to believe that the decline has run its course, temporarily at least, and would not hesitate in making new commitments in the high grade industrials, especially the issues.

Penner & Beaine—The general market seems technically in position to recover from the recent decline.

J. S. Bache—Further irregularity seems to prevail in order to accomplish the objective of providing a good distribution for the final stage of the market's bull movement.

Jackson Bros—We regard Similar in the low side as very attractive. Houses with international connections are consistent buyers of Columbia Graphophone.

Trading Pattern—The market is expected to reflect narrowness over the rediscount rate and money loans. No important change is anticipated in the immediate trend of transactions.

STOCK LETTER

NEW YORK, Jan. 8.—Gold Dust made a new high yesterday and Sears came up with a new high today. In our opinion continued reaction in absolutely justified by existing outlook. Gold dust is an issue which is would be safe to buy through any market recession. We believe the earnings statement being so geared to with confident belief in development of an earning power substantially in excess of 1928 and we expect that the growth over the next year or so may be just as marked as has been the growth in the past three years.

The weekly steel trade review continues to display an optimistic tone. It being noted that steel output has passed the high rate of December operations, as principal steel centres are above 80 per cent. Iron and steel markets have made an extremely good start for the New Year.

In our opinion the manner in which the leading steel shares refused to go to new lows and then lifted is decidedly impressive.

Rubber continues to be under selling consideration for weeks and we feel that the market position of the stock is fundamentally as strong now as it was any time during 1928.

Stewart Warner apparently is definitely discounting the stock dividend and the stock which is expected to result in higher dividends. The result is that the capital readjustment would be of definite benefit to the stockholders. The stock is currently selling at about seven times 1928 earnings which, under current conditions, is a relatively low ratio.

If the New York Federal Reserve Board does not shortly lower rates in the rediscount rate, the development, would come as a surprise

MONTREAL STOCK LETTER

MONTREAL, Jan. 10.—The setting tone in Montreal was continuous, that issue coming second in activity in the period, and closing at 89½. Directors meet in Toronto today and from sources in close touch with the affairs of the company it is believed that an announcement favorable to shareholders will result from the gathering. Gossip most current in the market is that there is strong possibility of an increase in dividend rate as well as the likelihood of an offering of new stock to shareholders at an advantageous price. It is assumed that if the latter is true the financing would be to pay for the Canadian company, purchase of which is generally felt to be a good buy.

Bluecrinders of the Dominion Steel & Coal were given cause for satisfaction at the annual meeting yesterday when President, H. H. Dunnan, in the course of his remarks pointed to the market expansion in the business of the company, increase in output and sales creating a new record.

The company has grown into one of national importance, and developments in prospect in this country promise a busy year. The steel builders for some years to come. The action of the market in the trading but revealed a firmer tone.

International Nickel was again an active leader with 30,000 shares dealt in. Buying of this issue continues to come from underlying interests and has reverted to hold this stock decidedly firm in the face of a large volume of profit-taking in the past week on the part of shareholders with large appreciations in value.

Latest News From Wall Street

(Reported by Bennett, Bruce & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Stocks noted confidently today under the influence of more encouraging conditions in mail money, and constructive developments in industry. Trading was reduced in volume by a disposition to speculate lightly pending the outcome of the Federal Reserve meeting after the close, but there was no rebuff in important banking circles that the rediscount rate would be increased. About the only effect experienced by this factor was the diminished activity which it brought about.

With both credit and business favorable, speculation in the market was on the side of power and was conspicuous strength in stocks like Anaconda, Mack and Western, which have the sponsorship of important banking interests, was particularly stimulating. Special groups, like the motors and rubbers, were notably buoyant and bulls of strength from time to time in individual issues demonstrated that the public was still in a buying mood. Ownership speculation liquidation was not in evidence, making it easy for groups operating in special stocks to advance their favorites.

With the holiday season over, buyers are likely to come into the market on a much heavier scale during January, demonstrating that the expected lull in trade circles that capacity operations may be seen in the future is well founded. Steel common sold off slightly on profit taking after a new high for the year. Rubber gained 3 points to 35 and further advances were made in the high grade industrials, especially the full-year 1928.

Announcement that directors of Chrysler Corporation, where Maxwell radio arts has voted to affil stock, holders of record January 15 will total stock was taken to indicate that the application of the additional funds to be derived through the sale to employees of operations. One share will be offered at $80 for each 10 of present held.

The highly favorable dividend action announced today by directors of Barber Textile Industries Co. Ltd. is immediate reflection upon the market of the common stock. In addition to a regular 4% dividend on the basis as against previously paid a stock dividend of 100% was voted. Stock continues to act as if resumption of cash dividends after a lapse of more than five years may come sooner than anticipated.

Best earnings for the final quarter are awaited with keen interest. Bulls are hoping that they may be available with keen interest. An increase in the dividend is looked for.

Prices consisting of a 4 for 1 split-up of Union Carbide.

The amount of Stress of Reason Walsh, of Montana, the Senate Committee on Public Lands after a brief meeting today postponed indefinitely further inquiry into the Sun Crest Oil lease.

Worthington Pump are said to be one of the largest manufacturers of Diesel engines in the country.

Following completion of the splitup Columbia Gas is expected to offer new shares for subscription to stockholders at a price which may not exceed $80 a share.

Resumption of the C. & O. arrangements on price to be paid for Pere Marquette stock may start January 15.

Illinois Central handled 30,420 revenue freight cars in the first ten days of January against 37,142 same period 1928.

Youngstown district steel and rolling mills operations to date in January ahead of December with exceptionally heavy demand for full finished automobile sheets.

National Biscuit earned $8.85 a common share in eleven months ended November 30.

Purdy Lighting declared regular quarterly dividends of 75 cents on common stock and $1.38 on preferred, payable February 15, record January 31.

Interstate Commerce Commission authorized Missouri Pacific to issue 10,741 first and refunding five per cent mortgage bonds.

J. P. Morgan & Co.—Further irregularity seems in prospect in order to accomplish the objective of providing a sound technical base for the final stage of the market movement.

Hornblower & Weeks—We would continue to ignore the market as a whole and limit commitments exclusively to those issues that seems to warrant present attention due to special developments.

News of the Mines

(Press Bulletins, Mills & Co., Vancouver, Thomson & P Castle & Co., Ltd.)

Amulet—According to advices received early last week from Rouyn, another five-foot round has been struck on the 100 level on the "C" ore body of Amulet. The most significant feature of the find is the complete absence of zinc. Precious metal values also are good. The find will run as high as $10 a ton, and the copper will grade between 6 and 7 per cent. Work on lateral work will done in this particular vicinity will be pushed as fast as possible to give an estimate of the importance of the discovery. This area is Mr. Gregory, president; Joseph Whitehouse, vice-president; P. B. Bridge, secretary; W. E. Wilmot, treasurer, and J. J. Cogood, P. S. Chalker, J. Whitehouse, W. E. Wilmot, Duncan McVicar, J. Z. Gregory and Earl Kellogg, directors.

Sales on the Vancouver Stock Exchange on Wednesday totaled 300,000 shares, valued at $112,100.

Montreal Pitts.—Dubie Toronto: No results on Brazilian meeting, but have unofficially split two for one and on 86 basis.

Bank Clearings

WINNIPEG, Jan. 10.—The following are the bank clearings for the principal cities of the Dominion of Canada for the week ending today, as compared with the corresponding period a year ago:

	1929	1928
Montreal	$12,206,667	$13,556,000
Saint John	2,264,860	2,087,203
Halifax	1,603,000	1,600,000
Quebec	1,168,114	6,000,000
Ottawa	10,679,773	10,000,000
Sherbrooke	951,000	1,000,000
Toronto	54,000,000	52,000,000
Hamilton	2,422,371	2,000,000
Peterboro	1,241,875	1,132,121
Winnipeg	19,197,348	18,476,135
Hamilton	3,003,033	3,140,971
London	3,000,000	3,000,000
Regina	2,000,000	2,000,000
Saskatoon	1,000,000	1,000,000
Calgary	7,000,000	7,000,000
Edmonton	4,000,000	4,000,000
Brandon	1,000,000	1,000,000
Lethbridge	1,000,000	1,000,000
Medicine Hat	1,000,000	1,000,000
Vancouver	11,713,707	10,407,000
Victoria	1,000,000	1,000,000
Total, Dominion	147,000,000	147,000,000
Port William	1,000,000	1,000,000
Vancouver	1,000,000	1,000,000
Total, Canada	1,000,000	1,000,000

Mining News

By Walter Court & Co., Ltd.

Big Mine, Noble Five and Planet featured the mining section of the Vancouver Stock Market today.

Big Mine opened up 2 points at 87 and continued to advance to 89 1-2, with higher price levels indicated.

Noble Five opened up 1 at 68, and strengthened an additional point to 69, high price levels are also indicated for this issue.

Both Noble Five and Big Missouri were featured by a heavy turnover.

Planet opened up 1-8 point at 62 and soared up to 65 during the first half-hour of trading.

Pend Oreille was erratic, opening at $10.50, setting down to $10.25 and rallying to $10.75.

Mohawk continued strong at 6 1-2, while Grandview was selling off at 56.

Cork Province was firm at 25, and Lucky Jim at the same figure.

Rufus Arizona offered at 30, but drifted back to 29 1-2.

Woodbine was steady between 3-4 and 1, and Kootenay Florence between 33 1-2 and 35 bid.

Topaz Granite was firm at 50, Silverado was another bright spot on the market, opening at 84 and selling up rapidly to $1.16 with a ready market.

National Silver was slightly stronger, opening at 3 and selling up to 23 1-2.

Mandalay continued firm at $3.15, following the disastrous slump of Tuesday.

The market has brightened up considerably and greater activity is expected during the next few days. The profit taking seems to have been absorbed, while the volume of sales continued over the half-million mark.

Big Missouri Has 8,000 Feet of Ore—A report submitted at the annual meeting of Big Missouri Mining Company, in Tacoma on Wednesday shows that 8,205 feet of tunnelling has been completed on the property. Officers of the company were re-elected. They are: J. T. Gregory, president; Joseph Whitehouse, vice-president; P. B. Bridge, secretary; W. E. Wilmot, treasurer, and J. J. Cogood, P. S. Chalker, J. Whitehouse, W. E. Wilmot, Duncan McVicar, J. Z. Gregory and Earl Kellogg, directors.

Sales on the Vancouver Stock Exchange on Wednesday totaled 300,000 shares, valued at $112,100.

Montreal Pitts.—Dubie Toronto: No results on Brazilian meeting, but have unofficially split two for one and on 86 basis.

Retail Prices

(Revised January 8, 1929)

DAIRY PRODUCE	
Butter—	
Best Alberta, carton	.50
Victoria	.50
Cowichan Creamery, lb.	.50
Alberta, bulk, lb.	.45
Eggs—	
Cut Cow, Grade A	.50
Best Island Creamery, lb.	.50
Alberta, bulk, lb.	.45
Cheese—	
Ontario, lb.	.30
B.C. Fresh, lb.	.35
Pulleta, carton	.25
Milk—	
Pure Cream Cheese, lb.	.40
Quarts, lb.	.25
Pheno Calorie, quart, per lb.	.25
Pheno Calorie, pint, per lb.	.25
Pheno Calorie, half pint, per lb.	.25
Pheno Calorie, half pint, per lb.	.25
Pheno Calorie, Cheese, per lb.	.25
Pheno Calorie, Cheese, per lb.	.25
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Important Notices, Employment, Business and Professional Directory, Wants, Etc.

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13 WANTED—MALE HELP (Continued)

15 SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE (Continued)

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40 FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

40 FOR SALE, MISCELLANEOUS (Continued)

50 FURNISHED ROOMS WANTED

63 POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

65 AUTOMOBILES

BARGAINS — 1920 FORD TOURING, overhauled, $60. 1924 Chevrolet sedan, $275. 1926 Chevrolet coupe, $575. Owner selling garage. 615 Government Street, phone 6167

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65 AUTOMOBILES (Continued)

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$3150—SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW on Beach Drive. Fine lot. A snap, and only $1,000 cash required.

$2500—ACRE IN LOGANS, and modern four-room bungalow, at Royal Oak. Terms arranged

$650—ACRE AND QUARTER, on North Quadra, with nice trees. Fine home site. Terms

$3200—NEARLY ½-ACRE fine level lot in Oplands Street and sidewalk in and paid for. Your own terms.

ALDER & SONS, LTD.

217 Central Building — 620 View Street

Phone 2210

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

PEMBERTON & SON

Established 1887

SPECIALISTS IN CITY, SUBURBAN, SEAFRONT AND COUNTRY PROPERTIES. VALUATIONS MADE

OAK BAY

WE HAVE COMPLETE LISTINGS OF PROPERTIES FOR SALE IN THIS DESIRABLE DISTRICT

A FINE SIX-ROOMED HOUSE in good condition. Three bedrooms, cement basement, hot air furnace, garage, good lot, fine views. Convenient to beach and car line $4500

A HANDSOME RESIDENCE, in excellent condition, containing eight rooms, four fine bedrooms, den, two toilets and bathroom. Hardwood floors, hot water heating. Concrete basement. Good lot in garden. Convenient to beach and car line $6500

THIS IS A GOOD TIME TO BUY OAK BAY REAL ESTATE

FOR INVESTMENT OR A HOME, we recommend a neat three-roomed cottage, with garage, chicken house and woodshed, on two nice lots, one block from 15-minute bus service.

SIX-ROOMED BUNGALOW, THREE bedrooms, living-room, dining-room, kitchen, bath, all on one floor; full cement basement, with pipe furnace. Garage, 60-ft. lot, in good district, and the price is only $3650

FAIRFIELD—One of the best built stucco bungalows of five rooms, on a first-class street. Full basement, furnace, garage, etc., etc. We are instructed to sell this house at once and can take a low cash payment, with the balance as rent. Total price $4500

NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW containing hall, two nice bedrooms, living-room with fireplace, kitchen, cement basement with furnace and laundry tubs, garage, and the price, on terms, is only $3500

MODERN SIX-ROOMED HOUSE, full plumbing, sun porch and large veranda. Two houses for 500 birds, brooder house, garage, etc. On two acres first-class soil, subdivided into eleven lots. On main road, 3½ miles out $6300

8-ROOMED MODERN HOUSE, three bedrooms, full basement, furnace. Garage. On large lot. Low taxes. 3½ miles out, close to bus route (Terms) $3500

MODERN SEVEN-ROOMED HOUSE, three bedrooms, hot water heating, open fireplaces. Garage. On good-sized corner lot nicely laid out. Low taxes. 3¼ miles out, close to school and bus route $5250

PEMBERTON & SON

626 Fort Street — Phone 280

FAIRFIELD DISTRICT

NEW STUCCO BUNGALOW, on large lot close to beach. Entrance hall, living-room and dining-room with hardwood floors and French doors intervening. Kitchen with breakfast nook. Two bedrooms finished in enamel, as also is the bathroom. Full basement, furnace and garage. Concrete driveway and walks. Provision made for two additional rooms upstairs. PRICE $4,800, on terms of $1,000 cash

6 ROOMS IN HIGH PART OF FAIRfield, close to Moss Street, with hardwood floors in main rooms, inglenook fireplace in living-room, basement, furnace and wash trays. Exterior and interior newly painted and redecorated. Price only $4,300, on terms of $750 cash

6 ROOMS, 1½ story, near Beacon Hill Park, enclosed porch, bright living and dining-rooms, kitchen, with scullery, separate back and front stairway, three splendid bedrooms, bath and toilet separate, full basement, wash trays, furnace, garage. Included is Buud heater, stair carpets and linoleum. PRICE $4500

BRETT & KER, LIMITED

Real Estate, Insurance and Financial Agents

Corner Government and View Streets

PHONE 132

SPECIAL

OAK BAY

SEVEN ROOMS, NEWLY DECORATED, FULLY MODERN. GOOD LOT

$3750

EASY TERMS

SEE US AT ONCE

THE CITY BROKERAGE

PHONE 616 — 632 VIEW

$2900—TERMS. SEMI-BUNGALOW—A complete home of 6 rooms, on ground floor; 2 rooms in attic, full basement, furnace, large lot, good locality, close school and car. This is in splendid condition and cheap at this price

$3675—TERMS—ATTRACTIVE 5-room bungalow, close James Bay Hotel. This is fully modern, in best condition, and a real nice home

W. J. GILLILAND & CO

1303 Douglas Street — Phone 5563

SNAP FOR QUICK SALE

COSY FOUR-ROOM BUNGALOW

Close Transportation; Easy Terms

$1250—BRIGHT living-room, two bedrooms, large kitchen, pantry, three-piece bathroom. Adjoining lot, $250 extra. Owner very anxious to sell and will accept any terms from reliable purchaser

BOSSYEAR & GORDOS

316 Union Bldg — Phone 5000

TODAY'S BARGAINS

$1900—JAMES BAY—Mortgagee's sale. Large nine-room residence, would convert into apartments. Has been newly painted, refinished and new plumbing installed. Large lot, 50 x 211 feet, fruit, etc. An ideal close-in situation. Somebody gets a bargain. Easy terms

$1800—OFF RICHMOND AVENUE. Five-room bungalow, cement basement, garage. Beautiful corner lot. To close an estate

$2600—CLOSE IN, near Quadra. Dainty five rooms, full cement basement, new furnace, tubs. Two fireplaces, glassed in porches front and back. Nice garden lot, with fruit trees, etc. Garage. Lots at side of property. Gas installed. Illness compels sacrifice

ANDREWS REALTY

7th Floor, B.C. Loan Bldg — Phone 3736

FERNWOOD DISTRICT

Near School and Car

5-ROOM BUNGALOW,

With Sunroom, Garage, Etc.

Cement Basement and Furnace

Lot 50 x 110

AN ATTRACTIVE LITTLE HOME IN A GOOD LOCALITY

PRICE, ON TERMS,

$3000

SWINERTON & MUSGRAVE, LTD

Phone 491 — 640 Fort Street

REDUCED FOR QUICK SALE

WE SHALL BE PLEASED TO SHOW YOU OVER THESE PREMISES

JAMES BAY—Near Government Street—We are authorized to offer this 4-room bungalow and two large lots at $1,850. This is a genuine bargain

JAMES BAY—Cosy 7-room semi-bungalow in splendid condition, basement and furnace. Two choice garden lots. PRICE $2750

FAIRFIELD—Within easy walking distance of city, park, beach and school, contains 6 bright airy rooms; basement, furnace, two open fireplaces. Price only $3,750, on any terms to suit purchaser

JUST OFF ST. CHARLES ST—Here is a handsome stucco residence of 8 rooms standing in half an acre of grounds beautifully studded with oak trees, fully modern. PRICE CUT TO $6000

P. R. BROWN & SONS, LTD

1112 Broad Street — Phone 1076

78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

AN EXCEPTIONALLY NICE HOME ON SAANICH ARM

WE OFFER, FOR IMMEDIATE SALE, a very beautiful property, with waterfrontage on Saanich Arm. The bungalow is unusually modern, of seven rooms and a large billiard room. Basement, open fireplaces, furnace, garage. Without going into minute detail we are correct in stating that this place is one of the choicest of the whole Peninsula.

There are approximately eight acres of land, most of which is under cultivation and has a gentle slope to the west.

Fruit trees and all kinds of small fruits. Ornamental trees, flower beds, etc.

Outbuildings of every description.

Taxes are light.

Electric light, water laid on, and telephone.

Stage passes door three times daily.

All city deliveries.

It is just outside the twenty-mile circle.

Close to church, school and community hall.

Further particulars upon application in this office

ST. CHARLES STREET HOME OF EIGHT ROOMS

ONE AND A HALF STORY DWELLING, very nicely arranged. Hardwood floors, built-in effects and other desired conveniences. Three large bright bedrooms. Good size lot which is pleasantly laid out in flower beds, shade and ornamental trees. Price (upon terms), only $7500

MODERN EIGHT-ROOM OAK BAY DWELLING

SITUATED ON ST. ANN'S STREET, a desirable modern dwelling of eight rooms, on a splendid size lot and facing east, with excellent view. Every convenience, including basement, furnace and garage. Price (upon terms) $5500

B.C. LAND & INVESTMENT AGENCY, LIMITED

922 Government St. — Phone 125

PHENOMENAL OFFER

NEW, WELL-BUILT 6-ROOM BUNGALOW ON 60-FT LOT

IMMEDIATE POSSESSION

JUST OFF NEWPORT AVE., OAK BAY

$5500

WIDE entrance hall, oak floors; double French doors in magnificent living-room, oak floors, massive tile fireplace, china cabinet, oriel bay windows. Double French doors to large dining-room, oak floors. Across in three large bedrooms, fully modern bathroom from rear hall. Kitchen replete with built-in features. Splendid large, bright basement, full cement floor, furnace and garage. Well placed on large garden lot, finished by landscape gardener. Pretty elevation, finished in stucco and red face brick. Cement walks, fanway. For terms on this home SEE US QUICK.

VICTORIA REALTY & BUILDING LTD.

616 View St. — Phone 3086

$5000

FAIRFIELD HOME SACRIFICE

GOOD modern 7-roomed house, built for owner, as a home, from architect's plans. Entrance hall, French doors to large living-room, with wide open fireplace, dining-room with fireplace, breakfast room, kitchen and pantry. 3 bedrooms and dressing-room, with fireplace, clothes closets, all have windows, cement basement, furnace, washtubs. Best part of district, near Marine Drive. Our client will also sell, at a low price, all the furniture, including a lot of antiques, Oriental rugs, etc.

$4450

OAK BAY, WITH FINE SEA VIEW

THIS new stucco 5-room bungalow has just been completed. Well built and conveniently arranged. Entrance hall and living-room with hardwood floors, sunroom with French doors, dining alcove, well-fitted Dutch kitchen; 2 bedrooms, built-in bath with tub and good plumbing, full cement basement, furnace, plastered garage, cement drive and sidewalks. Good lot. Close to beach, school and car.

HEISTERMAN, FORMAN & CO.

Phone 55 — 606 View Street

$1650—BUYS COSY 4-ROOMED BUNGALOW and 1 acre good garden soil, close by bus.

$2450—JAMES BAY—Five-roomed cottage. Close to sea; in perfect shape

$1950 — STUCCO BUNGALOW, 4 rooms, ¼-acre lot.

$2500—FOUR ROOMS, stucco, modern throughout, easy terms

JOSEPH C. BRIDGMAN

Established 1858 — 604 Broughton St

Albert Burden, Real Estate

$950—BURNSIDE. $350 DOWN, balance as rent. Three-roomed bungalow, pantry, cement basement and foundation, city water, light and phone, about 1½ lots, splendid soil, near car and school, taxes $20

$1000—GORDON HEAD, 4-ROOMED cottage; $300 down, balance easy. Two beautiful fenced lots in cultivation, large chicken house, city water; bus passes door, taxes $8.

PATTERSON REALTY, 844 YATES

PRICE $6500 TERMS

VERY ATTRACTIVE SIX-ROOMED STUCCO HOME, just completed, situated in Oak Bay on large lot, 70 x 150 feet, facing south. Contains entrance hall, spacious living-room with hardwood floor, dining-room with oak floor, kitchen with every modern convenience, breakfast nook, two bright bedrooms with clothes closets, bathroom with built-in bath. Upstairs one bedroom, and room for two more if required. Seven-foot cement basement, hot air furnace (piped). Garage. A very comfortable home in every respect. Make a point of seeing this without delay (No. 475)

A. W. JONES, LIMITED

Established 1889

1002 Broad Street — Phone 188

$3400—SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW, IN Oak Bay, south of the Avenue. Up-to-date in every detail, and on a very nice lot

$2400—FIVE-ROOM fully modern bungalow, built-in features, full cement basement and furnace. Just outside city limits. Easy terms.

ROBERT S. DAY & SON, LIMITED

1124 Broad Street

FAIRFIELD BARGAIN

$4500

High and Dry. Select Area

MODERN SEMI-BUNGALOW of seven rooms, with pretty rock gardens. Self-contained on ground floor; two extra rooms upstairs. Cement basement, furnace, wash tubs. Cement garage. Lot 50 x 142, in rock gardens. Terms arranged

DOUGLAS, MACKAY & CO. (VICTORIA), LIMITED

Phone 517 — 1314 Broad Street

$10,500—TWO-STORY HOUSE CONtaining spacious drawing-room, dining-room, den, hall, kitchen, pantry, basement, 4 good bedrooms, dressing-room, servant's room, verandas, cement cellar, open fireplaces in principal rooms, excellent water supply; commanding one of the most extensive views on the bay, garden, large greenhouse, seaboard, small fruit, numerous outbuildings, standing on five acres, with wide seafront, boathouse, good fishing and bathing. More land adjoining can be had if required. A remarkably good buy

G. WALLICE

Real Estate and Insurance Agent

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78 HOUSES FOR SALE (Continued)

FOR SALE

IN OAK BAY — CLOSE TO SEA

REDUCED FROM $5,000 TO $3,500

THIS very cosy six-room bungalow, consisting of entrance hall, dining-room, kitchen and three comfortable bedrooms, three-piece bathroom, open fireplace. Full size basement, hot air furnace. Good elevation. Yearly taxes only $40. Exceptionally reasonable terms, $750 cash down, balance like rent. Why pay rent?

JAMES BAY BARGAIN

SIX-ROOM HOUSE, with all conveniences. Owner must sell immediately, so has reduced the price to $3,500. Large lot, 60 x 134. Reasonable terms. Cemented basement.

H. G. DALBY & CO., LTD

634 View Street — Opposite Spencer's

5-ROOM STUCCO BUNGALOW IN OAK BAY, for $4,500, on terms of $750 cash, balance $50 per month. This is practically a new home, large living-room with open fireplace, large kitchen with built-in cupboards, 2 bedrooms, 4-piece bath, all polished floors, concrete basement, garage. Good lot.

T. E. MONK & CO

Room 11 — 612 View Street

79 WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES

BUNGALOW WANTED—MY MONEY IS ready if you have a real bungalow, in good location, at sacrifice price. Owners or agents apply J. S. Hammond, c/o Hammond Realty, 1311 Douglas Street. Phone 1236.

FOR QUICK ACTION ON THE SALE OF your property, price it right and list with Meharey, Roe & Co., Ltd

WANTED TO BUY—SMALL MODERN bungalow, garage. MUST BE CLOSE IN. Terms required. Box 10,000, Colonist

WANTED — FOUR-ROOMED HOUSE, Cloverdale district; $1,500, $0 last. Box 9365, Colonist

80 PROPERTY FOR SALE

80A BUSINESS PROPERTIES

READY TO BUILD ON

STRONG DEMAND FOR STORE SPACE

BUY AND BUILD NOW AND SECURE HIGH INTEREST

WE OFFER 54.6 feet on Broughton, by 30 feet in depth (more or less) at a price which should show 9% on the total investment.

CENTRAL LOCATION, 120 feet east of Government and diagonally opposite Coach Depot. Property faces down Gordon Street, in view of Empress Hotel. Suitable for high-class restaurant, specialty shops, etc. See us for particulars regarding revenue, and rent and financing of building. Price $27,000, on terms of $15,000 cash, balance spread over three years at 6%

GARAGE BARGAIN

FIRST-CLASS GARAGE BUILDING 60 x 120, cost about $16,000 to build in central location. Very suitable for some light industry. Rented well, now 6%. Price $9,950. Terms: $3,000 cash, balance on mortgage at 7%.

PEMBERTON & SON

625 Fort Street — Phone 280

81 PROPERTY WANTED

WANTED — GOOD BUILDING LOT, North Quadra, cheap for cash. Box 9723, Colonist.

82 ACREAGE FOR SALE

SAANICH FARMS AND HOMES

ABOUT 1 ACRE OF GOOD BLACK SOIL, hand dug for garden, drained and fenced. Three-roomed new house and basement. Good well. City water, light and phone available. Taxes $13.50. (Less for cash) $650

2½ ACRES excellent soil and small house, garage and outbuildings. Sea view. Intensively cultivated, logans, gooseberries, etc. City water, light and phone past. Terms $3000

SMALL DAIRY FARM AND MILK ROUTE, ESTABLISHED

4 ACRES (MORE OR LESS), EXCELLENT BLACK SOIL, CLEARED AND FENCED. A NEW FOUR-ROOMED BUNGALOW. High situation. BARN FOR 10 HEAD, NEW DAIRY, CEMENT FLOOR; RUNNING SPRING WATER through same. SPLENDID ACRE OF ORCHARD. Only three miles out. City water, light and phone. Ten minutes from school, store, P.O. THREE GOOD COWS, EQUIPMENT, HORSE AND DELIVERY. THE WHOLE GOING CONCERN $3700

Property alone, $3,300.

LAKE VIEW COUNTRY HOME

3 ACRES (more or less), all cleared and fenced. Splendidly built seven-roomed bungalow and large attic, cellar, furnace, modern three-piece bathroom, sun porch. Double garage and other outbuildings. About six miles from town. Domestic orchard. Excellent buy at, terms $7000

GOING CONCERN—SPLENDID REVENUE

6 ACRES, PRACTICALLY ENTIRELY IN LOGANS, BLACK CURRANTS AND ASPARAGUS. UNLIMITED SUPPLY SPRING WATER. WELL-BUILT BUNGALOW. BARN, FULL OF EQUIPMENT. CHICKEN HOUSES, WITH STOCK. DOMESTIC ORCHARD; GRAPES. OWNER OBLIGED TO RETURN TO ENGLAND. PROPERTY PRICED LOW FOR QUICK SALE, WITH FURNITURE (TERMS) $4950

FRUIT AND BULBS

5 ACRES, IMPROVED FARM. BEST REVENUE IN SAANICH FOR ITS SIZE. A RECORD BREAKER. Five miles out $7500

PEMBERTON & SON

625 Fort Street — Phone 280

NORTH SAANICH

FINELY WOODED PROPERTY OF OVER seven acres, suitable for country residential site. $1,000, for quick sale

SPARLING

P.O. Sidney, B.C. — Phone Sidney 109Y

FOR SALE—NINETY ACRES, WATERfront, Mayne Island, 6 acres cleared, spring, two wells, bathing beach, suitable camp or subdivision. Box 666, Colonist.

8 ACRES CLEARED, 4-ROOM BUNGALOW, barn for 6 head; small fruits; $33 per month.

PEMBERTON & SON

625 Fort Street — Phone 280

10 ACRES REAL SMALL FARM, BARgain. All good cleared land, fenced; excellent buildings. Price $6,000. Inquire A. Cook, Metchosin, Victoria, B.C.

KEATING DISTRICT

25 ACRES IN THIS FAVORITE LOCALITY, 14 under cultivation, 8 acres in orchard, 1 in loganberries. All first-class land. House of 7 rooms, hot and cold water, bath and toilet separate. Open fireplace in living-room. Good water supply, gas engine, pump and tank. Barn, stalls for 3 head cows, and stabling for a team. Poultry houses, etc. Price $8,000; easy terms and low interest

ROBERT GRUBB & CO

1112 Government St — Victoria, B.C.

10 MILES OUT, 10 ACRES OF RICH black soil, all cleared and level, fenced and cross-fenced. Cottage of five rooms, barn, chicken houses, etc. Well suited for dairy or small fruits. Close to good beach. PRICE (terms) $4200

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85 FARMS FOR SALE

OWNER MUST SELL

AND has placed the price far below market value. An ideal 5-acre poultry ranch, with electric lighted laying houses for 500 and brooder houses for 2,000. Five-roomed dwelling with light, water and phone, partly furnished. Land all cleared and some good garden soil. 100 Rhode Island Red and 50 White Wyandotte breeders, as well as 200 layers of high producing strain included in the low price of $5,100, with only $3,500 cash

HAMMOND REALTY

Ask for A. L. Page — 1311 Douglas St.

85 FARMS FOR SALE (Continued)

GORDON HEAD

9 ACRES, ALL UNDER CULTIVATION, acres of which are in mixed small fruits. The house is modern and contains 5 rooms and a sleeping-porch. We have the EXCLUSIVE handling of this property and are instructed to offer it for the first time, at the low price of

$11,500

J. A. WALKER & CO., LTD

Phone 1466 — 1100 Government St.

$5000

SMALL FARM

REVENUE PRODUCING

6 ACRES, 3 IN LARGE AND SMALL fruits, ½ in asparagus, balance wheat, etc. Five-room bungalow, 3 chicken houses, pumphouse, barn, etc.

CHRISTY, HALL & CO., LTD

640 Fort Street — Phones 374 and [illegible]

86 FARMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—GORDON HEAD, 6 ACRES, all cleared; orchard, barn, 6-room house, with bathroom, electric light and city water. P. M. Russell, 112 Pemberton Building

RENT, WITH OPTION, POULTRY AND squabs, stocked and equipped. Phone 7M1L.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF ALBERNI

BY-LAW NO. 164

A By-law to authorize the extraordinary expenditure of $5,000.00 by the Board of Trustees of the Alberni District High School Area.

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Alberni District High School Area has been authorized, and has decided to build and equip a High School building within the said High School Area for the use of the said area

AND WHEREAS, the said Board of Trustees of the said High School Area estimate that the sum of five thousand dollars will be required for the completion of the said High School Building and the equipping thereof;

AND WHEREAS, the Council of Public Instruction has agreed to grant to the Board of Trustees of the said High School Area, a sum of money equal to fifty per centum (50%) of the cost of constructing the said High School building;

AND WHEREAS, under the terms of the agreement between the Cities of Alberni and Port Alberni for the formation of the said High School Area it is established that the payment of all extraordinary expenses shall be apportioned between the two Cities on the following basis: Alberni 35%, Port Alberni 65%

AND WHEREAS, the respective Municipal Councils of the Municipalities of the Cities of Alberni and Port Alberni have extended the time during which the estimates of the High School Area Board for extraordinary expenditures may be submitted, in order that this By-Law may be submitted to the vote of the electors of the respective Municipalities

AND WHEREAS, it is necessary for the successful passage of this By-Law that it be submitted to the vote of the electors of the respective Municipalities of Alberni and Port Alberni on the same day and date.

Therefore the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the City of Alberni enacts as follows:—

1. It shall be lawful for the Board of Trustees of the Alberni District High School Area, to complete the construction and equipping of a High School building within the said High School Area at a cost not exceeding the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000.00)
2. From the said sum of $5,000.00 there shall be deducted the amount of the grant given by the Council of Public Instruction and amounting to 50% of all monies expended on the construction of the said High School Building, and the balance required to be raised, shall be raised by the respective Municipalities in the following proportion. The Municipality of the City of Alberni shall raise 35% of the said balance and the Municipality of the City of Port Alberni shall raise 65% of the said balance.
3. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as the High School Area Extraordinary Expenditure By-law No. 164, A.D. 1929."

Passed the Municipal Council the . . . day of 192

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Municipal Council the . . . day of . . . 192

Mayor — Clerk

Take notice that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-law upon which the Vote of the Municipality will be taken at the City Hall, Alberni, on Thursday, January 17th, 1929, between the hours of eight o'clock in the morning and eight o'clock in the afternoon of the said date

M. M. STEPHENS, City Clerk

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B.C.

TENDERS FOR WATER METER

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 12 o'clock noon on January 21, 1929, for the supply of one 12-inch Venturi Water Meter for the Waterworks Department. Specifications and particulars may be obtained from the Purchasing Agent, to whom all tenders must be addressed, and marked on envelope, "Tender for Water Meter." Each tender must be accompanied by a certified cheque for 5% of the amount of tender, made payable to the City Treasurer. The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

E. B. MICHELL, Purchasing Agent

City Hall, Victoria, B.C., Dec. 40, 1928

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

BY-LAW No. 311

Being a By-Law to improve the intersection of Arbutus Road, Gordon Head and San Juan Avenue

WHEREAS it is desirable to improve the intersection of Arbutus Road, Gordon Head Road and San Juan Avenue;

AND WHEREAS for this purpose it is necessary to acquire a part of Lot Twenty-two (22), according to a map or plan deposited in the Land Registry Office at Victoria, B.C. and there numbered 1048

THEREFORE the Corporation of the District of Saanich enacts as follows:

1. The intersection of Arbutus Road, Gordon Head Road and San Juan Avenue is hereby improved by establishing all that part of Lot Twenty-two (22), Map 1048, lying to the North of the production Easterly of the Southerly boundary of San Juan Avenue to Arbutus Road, as a public thoroughfare and to be named "Arbutus Road."
2. That the Corporation does enter upon, expropriate or otherwise acquire and use the said lands for the purpose mentioned in Clause 1 of this By-Law
3. The Reeve and Clerk of the Corporation are hereby authorized and empowered to take all steps necessary to carry out the true intent of this By-Law
4. This By-Law may be cited as the "Arbutus Road Improvement By-Law 1928"

Passed the Municipal Council the 29th day of October, 1928

Reconsidered, adopted and finally passed the Municipal Council the 22nd day of November, 1928

WILLIAM CROUCH, Reeve.

E. R. P. SEWELL, Clerk.

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct copy of By-law No. 311 of the Corporation of the District of Saanich.

E. R. P. SEWELL, Municipal Clerk.

THE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

Take notice that Saanich Municipal Ward meetings will be held as follows:

Ward 1—January 15, St. Luke's Hall
Ward 2—January 14, Tolmie School
Ward 3—January 15, Gordon Head School
Ward 4—January 15, Marigold Sch.
Ward 5—January 11, Royal Oak Hall
Ward 6—January 16, Temperance Hall
Ward 7—January 16, Tillicum School

All meetings will commence at 8 P.M. sharp

SALE BY TENDER

Under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage made the 14th day of January, in the year of Our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-eight, between Empire Brewing Company Limited, a Company duly incorporated under the laws of the Province of British Columbia, with head office at Vancouver, to the said Province, and His Majesty the King in the right of his Province of British Columbia, as represented by his Minister of Industries, I will offer for sale by Tender the following:

All the machinery, plant and equipment situated in the Empire Brewing Company at Nanaimo, B.C. All tenders must be addressed to the undersigned and must be accompanied by a certified cheque for one quarter of the amount of the tender, balance to be paid immediately the successful bidder is notified that his offer has been accepted. All tenders must be for the plant and equipment, en bloc, highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Tenders will close January 31st, 1929.

The above plant and equipment may be examined by prospective purchasers by applying at my office, Provincial Court House, Nanaimo, B.C., between the hours of ten A.M. and four P.M.

CHARLES J. TRAWFORD,
Sheriff for the County of Nanaimo.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT
ESQUIMALT ELECTORAL DISTRICT
Notice Regarding Discontinuing and Closing Road, Section 4, Sooke District

Notice is hereby given that, under the authority conferred by Section 11 of the "Highway Act," Chapter 103 of the "Revised Statutes of British Columbia, 1924," it is the intention of the undersigned, after thirty days from date, to discontinue and close portion of the road to Whiffen Spit, between Lots 3, 12, 13 and 14, Registered Subdivision Plan 1282. A new road is to be provided through said Lot 5.

W. A. McKENZIE,
Acting Minister of Public Works.
Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B.C., Dec. 17, 1928.

NOTICE
PRIVATE BILLS

Notice is hereby given that the time limited by the Rule of the House for receiving Petitions will expire on Thursday, the 31st Day of January, 1929. Private Bills must be presented to the House on or before Tuesday, the 12th Day of February, 1929. Reports from Standing or Select Committees on Private Bills must be received on or before Tuesday, the 19th day of February, 1929.

W. H. LANGLEY,
Clerk, Legislative Assembly.

Fruit and Poultry Farm

Cosy four-room cottage with open fireplace and bathroom, together with five acres really good land, nearly all cleared. House for 300 hens, cow barn, garage, etc. Plenty of small fruit. Good well. City water, telephone available. Close to store, school, etc., in popular district near to town.
Price Only $2,800
Terms can be arranged.

Alfred Carmichael & Co.
1210 Broad Street Realtors

HIGH-CLASS BAKERY AND CONFECTIONERY BUSINESS
As a going concern, situated in the heart of the city. Owner selling on account of sickness. No phone information.

$750.00 for seven-roomed house not quite finished. On Hillside Avenue. Very easy terms.

Seventeen acres, eight miles from town, on the West Saanich Road. Will subdivide into three pieces, each piece to sell for more than the whole price asked. The very best of fruit land. No rock, and very easily cleared. A genuine snap at $1,000.00 on terms.

ARTHUR E. HAYNES, LTD.
Fire and Auto Insurance, Collections, Loans
725 Fort St. Phone 319

CHEAP FARM
Fifty acres on good paved road, about twenty acres cleared, balance small pastures. Good water supply. Old house $7,500
A. S. BARTON
110 Pemberton Building Phone 2681

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GEORGIAN GALLERIES
Corner Fort and Fernwood
Genuine Antiques Only
Cars No. 1, 5, 10, 11 to Door
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Vancouver Island

ARRANGE DATE FOR FALL FAIR

AGRICULTURAL BOARD DIRECTORS HOLD SESSION AT COURTENAY

Decide on Series of Lectures to Start Next Month—Ploughing Match in March

COURTENAY, Jan. 10.—The first directors' meeting of the new Agricultural Board was held on Tuesday evening when a good attendance was on hand. A busy session resulted in the transaction of some important business. The date of the 1929 Fall Fair is set for Labor Day, September 2, providing that this date is found possible and that it meets with the approval of the Department of Agriculture. The directors were of the unanimous opinion that Labor Day would be a very advantageous date from many aspects.

This year the Fall fair prize lists are to contain the schedules of the horticultural branch of the society, which is putting on a number of flower shows throughout the year. This will affect the size of the prize lists, and they will be printed and in the hands of the public very much earlier than in any previous year. It was decided to call for tenders for the printing of these lists forthwith.

The educational committee of the association is arranging a series of lectures for the coming months. The first of these is to be during the early days of February, when silver cups and other trophies won at the last Fall fair are to be presented and the lecture is to be preceded by a short variety programme under the direction of Mr. J. H. MacIntyre. The plowing match in the Spring, which is to be an annual event, was discussed, and the committee which acted last year, consisting of Messrs. R. U. Hurford, W. A. Urquhart, E. R. Bewell, James Reid and William Duncan, was reappointed and requested to make arrangements for this event to be held in March.

Mr. E. R. Bewell, district representative of the Department of Agriculture, reported in connection with the formation of a local egg pool that fifty-five contracts had been signed with a probability that the total would reach seventy. This was the result of a canvas through the district.

Those present were Messrs. W. A. B. Paul (chairman), J. W. Stalker, John Crockett, D. M. Isenor, James Reid, Tom Stewart, H. S. Baker, W. A. Urquhart, Herbert Smith, William Duncan, E. R. Bewell, and the secretary.

LOGGING RAILWAY TO BE EXTENDED

Men and Machinery Coming In to Port Renfrew—Trapping Proves Profitable

PORT RENFREW, Jan. 8.—(By Mail).—Each trip of the steamer brings in more men for Messrs. Cathels & Sorensen's camp, where the logging railway is being extended another three miles. Two new large donkey engines have been purchased and will arrive shortly, with cables and other logging material. It is intended to largely increase operations this Summer.

Mr. John Quin is now in Victoria making arrangements for restarting his pulpwood operations. He employs a number of men in the season, and on his return will start construction of a new loading wharf at Harris Cove, about a mile up the San Juan River. He shipped a number of scowloads last year, and intends to double his output.

It is rumored that the DeLacy Company, of Seattle, have under consideration building a trail round their limits on Gordon River for fire protection. This will give employment to a number of men all Summer, as their holdings are extensive.

Trapping has been good this Winter, as many as fifteen marten being caught by one trapper in two weeks, and as these furs bring from $15 to $30, this should be profitable.

Parish Meeting Held at Colwood

COLWOOD, Jan. 10.—The annual meeting of parishioners of St. John's Church, held in the Colwood Hall on Tuesday evening, was well attended. Rev. H. O. Payne occupied the chair.

The wardens' report was read by Captain P. W. James, the reports of the Senior Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Woman's Auxiliary and the Sunday school were read, all showing good results.

The vicar expressed his thanks to Miss James for her services as organist, and to Mr. F. Sparks for assisting in training the choir, also to the members of the organizations which had helped in the financial work, and to Captain James, who had so faithfully acted as people's warden. Rev. H. O. Payne appointed Mr. J. W. Little as vicar's warden, the vacancy being caused by the passing of Mr. W. Bickford, and Captain James was unanimously re-elected people's warden. The church committee is as follows: Mrs. R. W. Robinson, Mrs. A. Godfrey, Mrs. J. Kedward, Mrs. W. M. Brown, Colonel Hodgins, Messrs. W. Bosworth, A. Godfrey, G. A. Turner and F. Sparks. Representatives to the Synod are: Captain James, Colonel C. H. Hodgins, and Mr. G. A. Turner; delegates to the ruridecanal conference, Mrs. H. S. Meadows and Miss O. Godfrey.

Moral Influence of Press Is Debated

COLQUITZ, Jan. 10.—The Young People's Club of the Wilkinson Road United Church held its weekly meeting in the schoolroom of the church on Wednesday evening, with a good attendance of members present. The opening exercises were conducted by the president, Stewart Pringle, and Miss Amelia Brydon read the lesson. It was decided to accept the invitation of the South Saanich Young People's Society for Monday next. This being literary night sides were chosen for a debate, with Rev. H. A. Ireland as chairman. The subject of the debate was: "Resolved, that the press has a better moral influence than the pulpit." After dire deliberation of the merits of each side the debate was declared a draw.

NANAIMO HOTEL GUTTED BY FIRE

Beer Parlor Goes Up in Smoke—Other Buildings Damaged by Water

NANAIMO, Jan. 10.—Shortly after 2 o'clock this morning, fire completely gutted the interior of the Patricia Hotel, on Haliburton Street. The flames, originating in the rear of Jemson's plumbing shop, which is a small addition to the Patricia, had a strong hold before the brigade was summoned, and it was only after an hour's hard work that they were extinguished, the entire building, including Jemson's plumbing shop, and a shoemaker's establishment adjoining the main building on the south, were watersoaked and damaged. The main building was occupied as a beer parlor, conducted by Mr. Frank Sandland. The cause of the fire is unknown.

CIVIC ELECTION WILL BE LIVELY

Keen Contests Expected for Vacancies on Duncan's Aldermanic Board This Year

DUNCAN, Jan. 10.—Things are livening up in Duncan civic election circles and a keen contest is looked for on polling day. Three candidates are now definitely in the field for two aldermanic vacancies, and a fourth entrant is looked upon as probable in the person of Mr. A. H. Peterson, a well known business man of Duncan. Interviewed by a Colonist representative Mr. Peterson admitted that he had been approached by a number of prominent citizens who had urged him to permit his name to go before the electors, and he is seriously considering the matter.

Mr. Peterson was prominently identified with the movement for the incorporation of the city seventeen years ago, and was an aldermanic candidate in the first city election. He is looked upon as a very strong candidate. He is president of the Cowichan Agricultural Society and has always been identified with all movements for the city's advancement. He has been urged to throw his hat in the ring for the mayoralty honors this year, but believes that the road to the highest civic office should go through the aldermanic chairs.

Little Interest in Cumberland Election

CUMBERLAND, Jan. 10.—As nomination day approaches, very little interest is being manifested for municipal honors, and it is freely predicted that the old slate will be returned unopposed. There will be four vacancies for school trustees, Mrs. Banks, the chairman, who has one more year to run, has tendered her resignation, and the others retiring are Mrs. O. K. MacNaughton, and Messrs. W. Henderson and D. Bannerman.

Esquimalt Nursing

COLWOOD, Jan. 10.—At a recent executive meeting of the Esquimalt Rural Nursing Service the following report was submitted by the nurse-in-charge: School children inspected 140; home school visits 72; welfare visits 48; social service visits 10; health talks given 6; telephone consultations 60; minor accidents 4, and nursing visits 53.

LANGFORD, Jan. 9.—The third pre-school clinic under the auspices of the Esquimalt Rural Nursing Service will be held on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Dr. Berman will be present and all mothers with young children are invited to attend.

SOOKE Y.P. SOCIETY

SOOKE, Jan. 10.—The regular meeting of the Young People's Society was held in the Knox Presbyterian Church on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Wood, at present staying at the Belvedere Hotel, gave a very interesting talk on her experiences as a missionary in the East, which was much appreciated by all present. A vote of thanks was passed to Mrs. Wood for her kindness in attending the meeting.

CUMBERLAND CRIBBAGE

CUMBERLAND, Jan. 10.—The Cumberland city cribbage team met the Athletic Club team in a scheduled league game in the Anglican Hall on Wednesday night, the latter proving successful by 20 points to 16. After the games, the city team entertained the visitors, bounteous refreshments being served.

Thompson & Horth's Joint Auction Sale of Purebred and High Grade Dairy Cows and Heifers, Close to Experimental Farm at Sidney, on Wednesday, January 16.
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COUNCIL HOLDS FINAL SESSION

Courtenay City Fathers Wind Up Their Year's Work in Quick-Time Session

COURTENAY, Jan. 10.—The last meeting of the 1928 City Council was a short one. There was a full attendance and the meeting adjourned at 9:30.

A letter from the local branch of the Royal Bank requested the further consideration of transferring the city account to the Royal Bank. After some discussion a motion to transfer the account was carried.

A communication from Corporal R. Matthews of the Provincial Police notified the council that he is being transferred to the Yale district. He suggested that arrangements be made for collection of trade licences, etc., with his successor, Corporal Mansell. This, however, was left to the new council.

Alderman William Douglas turned in his usual report as chairman of the public works committee. His report covered new plank sidewalks to the city limits in front of the Agricultural Grounds and several shorter sections in the business district. Draining and leveling on Isabel Street and the Lake Trail had also been effected. A fifteen-foot gate of substantial construction had been constructed at the main entrance of the Lewis Park.

Alderman Macdonald, chairman of the electric light committee, reported progress of the various proposed light extensions. Shipping bills had arrived for the new street signals, which would doubtless be here any day. He had hoped that they would arrive before the retirement of the old council.

After refusing Alderman Douglas' resignation at a special meeting of the council last week, Alderman Macdonald said that the whole council was opposed to letting Alderman Douglas go. However, Alderman Douglas had given good reasons for wishing to retire, and he reluctantly moved acceptance of the tendered resignation, which was duly accepted. Alderman Douglas deeply regretted having to take this step, but he felt he had been greatly complimented on the council's previous refusal of acceptance.

The monthly Provincial Police report, as affecting the city, which showed nothing of a serious nature, was ordered accepted and filed.

Commissioner of Girl Guides Will Speak at Langford

LANGFORD, Jan. 10.—Mrs. Morkill, commissioner of Vancouver Island Girl Guides, will speak at Langford Lakeside on Saturday afternoon, January 12, at 3 o'clock, to the girls in the Langford district who wish to join the Guides. All girls are cordially invited to attend.

LEGION BRANCH HOLDS ELECTION

Comrade A. G. Mackie Will Again Preside Over Veterans of Langford District

LANGFORD, Jan. 10.—The annual general meeting of the Prince Edward Branch, No. 91, of the Canadian Legion was held on Monday night at the branch headquarters, Comrade A. G. Mackie presiding.

The usual business having been transacted, the president gave a short history of the branch activities during the past year. The financial statement showed that healthy progress had been made. Nine ex-service men in the district have been assisted in securing pensions, medical treatment and financial aid, and the branch is to be congratulated on the success that has attended its activities during the first year of its existence.

The election of officers and committees followed. Comrade Pennington having informed the meeting that he did not wish to stand for president unless there was an urgent desire on the part of the branch for a change, Comrade Mackie was re-elected president of the branch for the forthcoming year. The following were then elected:

First vice-president, Comrade Pennington; second vice-president, Comrade Meredith-Jones; executive committee, Comrades Cooney, Bennett, Wolf, Cherry and Stephens; ways and means committee, Comrades Bennett, Simpson, Stephen, Oak, Pearce and Wolf; sick committee, Comrades Rev. Allen and Forman; membership committee, Comrades Cooney and Pennington.

The meeting terminated as usual with the national anthem and refreshments were served by the women's auxiliary of the branch.

METCHOSIN MEETING

METCHOSIN, Jan. 10.—The annual meeting concerning hall affairs will be held in the hall on Monday next. In addition to the regular business the building committee will report to the meeting and questions of management arising from the alterations, such as insurance, heating, etc., will be considered. The meeting is set for 8 p.m. and it is hoped that as large a number as possible will attend, all residents of the district being concerned. Refreshments will be served during the evening.

Passenger bus services in Venezuela are increasing rapidly both in numbers and business.

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Westward Trend of History Is Described

Professor Sage Gives University Extension Lecture Audience Review of Civilization's March in Canada—Survey Ignores Politics

"Canadian history has been from the East Westward. Now we look out on the ocean of the future, the Pacific. We come to the end. But is it the end? Cannot the frontier move back again, back from the West to the East, to the North. Our history is not over yet. Canadians have not only an interesting history, but an interesting future," declared Professor W. N. Sage, of the department of history, University of British Columbia, in making his summary in the University Extension lecture which he gave last night at Victoria College.

The lecture, which undertook the hitherto very-little-attempted task of unifying Canadian history, rejected the political method, set aside military control, in favor of one which took into account the geographical and topographical influences on the movements of the early colonists and fur traders. The hardihood, persistence and indomitable spirit of the latter was credited with having moved the Western frontier faster and more certainly than the settler type of colonist would have done. For the fur trader put up with hardships which the latter would not have faced. Particularly was this true in the movement across the Western plains.

NOW TAKING STOCK

"We are now taking stock of our history after sixty years' confederation. For there are certain aspects which today we can understand more clearly than when the Fathers of Confederation very bravely and hopefully carried through their great task," said the speaker at the beginning of his talk. One of these aspects was the Western movement. Professor Sage roughly mapped out the physical structure of Canada, "a diverse country stretching from ocean to ocean, with a very well defined but leaky international boundary." The effect of the Appalachian range was to turn the interest of the Maritime Provinces southward to New England rather than westward, Boston being their intellectual capital. The St. Lawrence made a natural unity between the St. Lawrence lowlands and the Ontario uplands looking out toward the Middle West and bringing in Northern Ontario and Quebec, Northeast Manitoba and the Northwest. The Prairies, stretching through Western Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, brought the division to the Rockies. Then came British Columbia. How were such diverse elements to be united, for the geography of Canada did not make for unity. Yet in spite of this, Canada had attained unity. And this, the speaker subsequently demonstrated, had come about by the natural western movement of civilization—Russia, which had moved from the west east, and the north and south movement in Spanish-America notwithstanding.

WEST ESSENTIAL

"But we Canadians move westward; the West is essential to Canada. It is the land of hope and opportunity, and to us here in British Columbia the West is homeland," interpolated the speaker, who reminded his audience that Canadians must not, however, be only Canadians or even British; they must also remember that they were North Americans.

Referring to the westward movement which had brought the Spanish to these shores, Professor Sage spoke of the unsearched historical lore which still reposes in old records in the archives of Mexico. Over two hundred volumes dealing with the Spaniards on this coast were there awaiting the questing eyes of some ambitious student of the future. Only the Hudson's Bay Company archives possessed anything like this store of historical document relating to British Columbia's history.

"If it had not been for the fur-trader I doubt if Western Canada would ever have been British," he said at another point, after paying tribute to the hardy type of man engaged in this work. Discussions of "frontiers" brought out some interesting points in the settlement of the Maritime Provinces, particularly of Nova Scotia, where, the speaker maintained, the oldest families were not, as popularly supposed, United Empire Loyalists, but settlers who came much earlier. With the U.E. Loyalists had come Dutch, Germans, Huguenots, thousands of Puritans, Highland Scottish from New York State and Iroquois from the Eastern United States. Upper Canada was made up of Pennsylvania Dutch, Highland Scots, etc., great settlers although autocrats. The reverse of this northward trek would probably be disclosed if one could get a good series of studies of the western movement from Canada into Michigan, Illinois, the Dakotas, Minnesota, Iowa, etc.

RED RIVER MOVEMENT

The importance of the Red River movement was stressed. "The more one studied this the more one saw that it was the focussing point of West. That had not yet been sufficiently realized by British Columbia, which was apt to consider that she herself was the most responsible feature for the western movement of Canadian life.

The final part of the lecture was devoted to the movement which settled Vancouver Island, first as a Hudson's Bay post, then as a Crown colony, and finally as part of the bigger province. Mention of the very early pioneers, among them Sir James Douglas, who in 1843 had planted the Hudson's Bay Company's flag here, was made. Slow growth at first, then the gold rush, the city of tents, then in 1866 amalgamation with the Mainland, Confederation, and, last of the more important influences in the last pushing westward of the frontier, the railway.

Before leaving his subject, Professor Sage seized the opportunity to lament the ignorance and indifference of most Canadians to their own history. This, he admitted, was due largely to the inadequacy of textbooks on the subject. But the fault was being remedied, and within the last two or three years more and more attractive and authentic publications were being put out. Among them were mentioned Donalda Dickie's series of Canadian history readers and "The Story of Canada," a history emphasizing the romantic side of Canada's history. This work is the joint output of three Canadian professors, of whom he himself is one.

Canadian Champion Decisively Defeats Taberski at Billiards

NEW YORK, Jan. 10.—Charles Seabach, Canadian champion, decisively defeated Frank Taberski, world's titleholder, in their 750-point match which was concluded here tonight. The final score was: Seabach, 750; Taberski, 603.

Big Seattle Fire

SEATTLE, Jan. 10.—Half an hour after a fire started on a downtown corner here tonight, twenty-four fire companies had brought the blaze under control.

The flames ate their way through the Seneca Hotel and badly damaged the adjacent Victoria Hotel and a neighboring building. Ten persons were carried unconscious to safety.

Firemen reported that all persons in the building when the fire broke out apparently had been rescued. Ten persons who were registered at the hotels but who were unaccounted for, it was assumed, had fled before the firemen arrived.

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

VARICOSE VEINS AND ULCERS

Unnaturally swollen or enlarged veins, called varicose veins, may occur in any part of the body, but are usually found in the legs because of the great difficulty the blood has in ascending against gravity. Varicose veins are also frequently found in the lower bowel where they are termed hemorrhoids, and are caused by the pressure of either prolapsed organs or of constipation. The veins may become so enormously enlarged as to resemble tumors.

As the vein becomes widened, its valves, which are only supposed to allow the blood to travel in the direction of the heart, do not come together and, being incompetent allow the blood to seep back and throw an extra weight upon the next valve below. In this way varicose veins tend to become worse.

There is at first a feeling of weight, pain and sometimes cramps. If the disease is long continued ulcers may form over the enlargement of the veins. These ulcers will exclude large amounts of serum and finally of blood.

Varicose veins are especially likely to occur in employments requiring much standing but little exercise. Although the veins are equipped with valves to prevent the blood from flowing back, they have no pumping system as do the arteries and exercise is really necessary to assist in the flow of venous blood. Otherwise, there would only be a slight forward pressure from the heart, carried through capillaries, or the slight suction occuring in the larger veins near the heart.

The usual causes of varicose veins are: prolapsus of the abdominal organs, constipation, or tight garments such as garters or belts.

Varicose veins are sometimes removed by surgery, or the patient may be advised to wear a rubber stocking. In neither case, however, is the cause of the trouble correct, nor are the veins strengthened.

A cure depends upon a general health-building regime to revitalize the blood because the veins will then have proper nourishment for developing stronger walls, but local treatments are also indispensable if you wish to shrink the enlarged veins to a normal size. These local treatments may be administered with certain kinds of electrical apparatus which can [illegible] be used by a physician. You [illegible] benefit yourself, however, by applying a piece of ice several times a day to the enlarged veins. The ice should be held against the vein with a towel so that the hand will not become too cold, and the smooth part of the ice pressed directly against the swollen vein while the limb is raised in the air so that the blood has had an opportunity to drain out of the vein. This treatment should be continued several times daily for three or four months during which time the muscles in the wall of the vein will become strengthened by the contraction produced by the ice. Apply the ice successively to the different parts to be treated. A substitute for the ice treatment can be had during the cold weather by sitting on the side of the bathtub and allowing cold water to run over the part of the leg where the veins are located. The ice treatment, however, produces the best results.

Bear in mind that the whole circulatory system must be benefited by a carefully selected diet. Varicose ulcers can be treated by your doctor with either the actinic light or the close contact high frequency spark. The best exercises for helping varicose veins are those taken while lying on the back on a slanting board with the feet elevated. While lying in this position the abdominal organs are pulled away from the lower pelvis and this relieves the blood congestion of the lower extremities.

Correspondents wishing to communicate with Dr. McCoy are advised that his address is Builders Exchange Building, Los Angeles, California, U.S.A.

CIVIC CENTRE SITE RESERVED

CITY OWNS SIX ACRES BETWEEN PANDORA AVENUE AND BLANSHARD STREET

Government Asked to Erect New Court House on Property as First Step of Project

Six acres of land, situated between Pandora Avenue and Cormorant Street and running from the rear of the B.C.E.R. Company showrooms up to Quadra Street, have been reserved as a site for a civic centre, it was learned at the City Hall yesterday following the advocacy of some plan for a civic centre made by Dr. Clem Davies at a Kiwanis luncheon several days ago.

The city has not only reserved this land, but it has also a rough plan of the layout of the civic centre that is proposed. The programme of development would be carried over a period of years. The first step to be taken is to secure the erection of the new Court House on the site, which is ideally located.

CABINET APPROACHED

The Provincial Government was approached quietly last year by members of the legislative committee of the council, it was learned, with a view to securing the erection of the new Court House on this property. The proposal was favorably received at the time and will be taken into consideration, it is presumed, when the Government decides to erect a new Court House.

A sketch of the civic centre, which was filed with the legislative committee, provides for a new City Hall, new fire hall, which would be away from the business district and therefore more able to answer alarms, a civic auditorium, arts building and public library.

TO OBTAIN PARK EFFECT

The whole is arranged in such a manner that a park effect is given to the property not built up. As a result of the scheme Blanshard Street would be widened.

The city did not especially select the site, but having the reverted property, it was considered to be in such a good location that it should be reserved for this purpose, the legislative committee, realizing that the time was rapidly approaching when a new City Hall, new fire hall, and expansion of the present library would be necessary.

A negro was brought before a justice of the peace; he was suspected of stealing. There were no witnesses but appearances were against him. The following dialogue took place.

Justice—You've stolen no chickens?

Negro—No, suh.

Have you stolen any geese?

No, suh.

Any turkeys?

No, suh.

The man was discharged.

As he stepped out of the dock he stopped before the justice and said, with a broad grin: "Squire, if you'd said ducks, you'd a' had me."

Money is certainly very tight at the present time. At least it is in Lancashire, and one auctioneer at a "Pot Fair" was having difficulty in persuading his audience that a certain article—to wit, a soup ladle—was worth a shilling. He held it aloft extolling its quality for a few minutes, then suggested ninepence, but the crowd remained stiff-necked. It required eloquence and a still further reduction to produce a solitary nod.

"And would you like it sent?" inquired the auctioneer in an attempt to be jovial.

"Aye, with a few turtles," answered the nodder.

Lord Howe Dies; Viscount Curzon Leaves Commons

LONDON, Jan. 10.—Richard George Penn Curzon, the fourth Earl of Howe, died at his home here tonight. His death leaves a vacancy in Parliament, as his heir, Viscount Curzon, who now goes to the House of Lords, is at present a member of the House of Commons.

VANCOUVER MAY GET BIG SWIM

Coast May Be Scene of 1929 Wrigley Marathon, Allan Ross Says—Other Cities After Event

TORONTO, Jan. 10.—Vancouver, Cleveland and Chicago are making strong bids for the 1929 marathon swim, Allan Ross, president of the Canadian Wrigley Company, stated today. He said either this year or in the near future the swim held in 1927 and 1928 in Toronto, probably would be held in Vancouver.

The Toronto Star yesterday published the following: "The fourth Wrigley marathon swim, according to present indications, may be held in Toronto.

"But even if it is not a feature of the Canadian National Exhibition in 1929, the exhibition will almost certainly put on a swimming programme of its own, offering large cash prizes. Nothing has been definitely decided yet on the matter.

"It is known that William Wrigley, Jr., the Chicago sportsman, who originated the marathon swim vogue, does not quite like the idea of the big swim becoming tied up with any one city. Therefore, it would not be surprising to see the event go this year to some city in the United States, or England, or even Australia."

A quietly dressed young woman arrived in New York one afternoon and gave her porter a dime. The porter threw it on the ground in his mad rage.

The young woman bent down and picked the dime up. Then she explained gently that it was the only money she had with her, and in parting with it for a tip she had condemned herself to walk two miles and a half to her flat instead of riding in the bus.

Her modest, gentle explanation completely mollified the porter.

"In that case, lady," he said, "I'll take the dime."

"No," said she; "I'll take the bus."

Husband Was Afraid She Was Getting Pneumonia

Mrs. Charles Edwards, R. R. No. 2, Wheatley, Ont., writes:—"Last winter I was bothered with a very bad cold, and my husband was afraid I was getting pneumonia.

"One day one of my neighbors came in and she suggested that I try

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Predicament!

A WORRIED father was anxious to move his family to a larger home. He had just the one he wanted all picked out. The difficulty was that he had a lease on his present place that had four more months to run. His wife suggested that he use the Want Ads.

The day the ad appeared they had many callers. By 2 o'clock in the afternoon the place had been subleased. And the family were now free to move to the larger home they had chosen.

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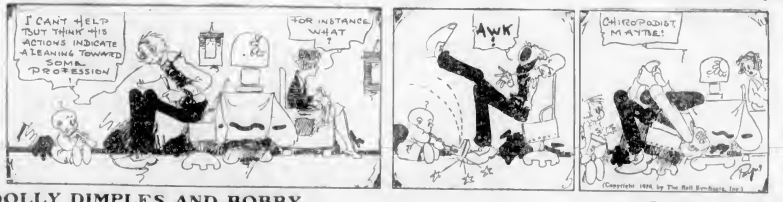


DOLLY DIMPLES AND BOBBY

By Grace Drayton

KRAZY KAT

EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

JUST LIKE A WOMAN

We were in a car the other day trailing behind a speedy machine that bore a Massachusetts licence plate. Suddenly a straw hat flew out of the car ahead.

The man with us stopped his machine. We got out and rescued the hat, then our fellow stepped on it to catch the fleeing Bay Staters.

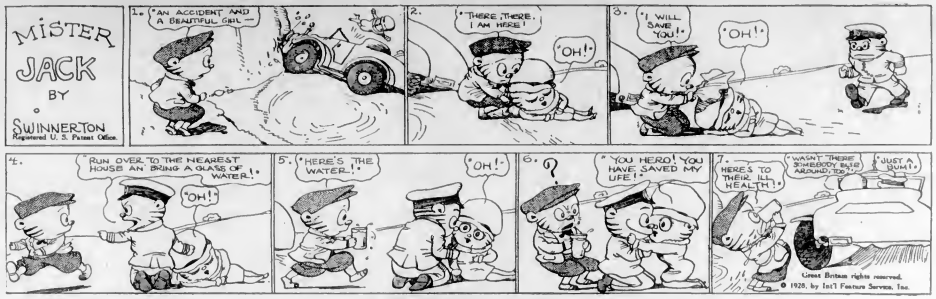
We did it after about half a mile, although it was a tough race, and then gladly and triumphantly waved the rescued straw at the occupants.

The man shook his head, but a nice looking lady seated beside him grinned.

"We threw it away," she explained.

Native advice for the teaching of the best ways to tap rubber trees is to be opened in Sumatra.

COLONIST DAILY COMIC FEATURE



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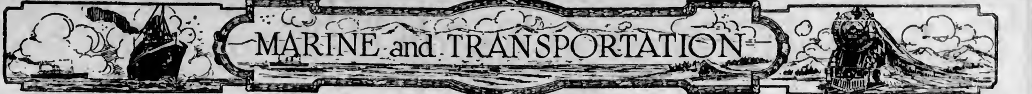

Famous Trinity House To Check Silence Zone Off Race Rocks Light

VANCOUVER, Jan. 10.—Stating that silence zones exist in various parts of the world, and are a great menace to shipping, Trinity House, the lighthouse authority of Great Britain, has written requesting a special committee of the Vancouver Merchants' Exchange for further particulars of the condition at Race Rocks. The communication was received by Captain H. P. Harrison, chairman of the special exchange committee, and himself a younger brother in Trinity.

A silence zone is known to exist at Race Rocks, and not long ago the Government established a radio beacon there, which works effectively. It is not of use to all ships, as there are many vessels that do not carry direction-finding equipment. It is in the interest of these vessels that the committee is now acting. In spite of the fact that ship after ship has piled up on Race Rocks during the past ten years during fog, stating afterward they heard no warning from the signals operating on the rock, there are some who claim there is no such thing as a silence zone.

TO AID NAVIGATION

The communication from Trinity House, the greatest authority in the world on aids to navigation, frankly admits that silence zones are known to exist, diaphones in such areas being silent at some angles and audible at others.

The fact that Trinity House is taking an active interest in Race Rocks will, it is believed, assist in the work of making the rock less dangerous to navigation.

The last vessel to come to grief through the silence zone off Race Rocks was the Blue Star freighter Albion Star, Captain J. Mitchell, at 12:15 o'clock on the morning of November 22.

Loaded with 90,000 boxes of apples, pears and onions, the 462-foot freighter was proceeding from Seattle to Portland when she struck Rosedale Reef, half a mile south of Race Rocks, in a heavy fog. She succeeded in getting off under her own power at 0 o'clock in the morning. A survey revealed damage to ninety plates, which cost over $100,000 to repair at Seattle.

Fishers to Ask for A Federal Ministry

OTTAWA, Jan. 10.—Creation of a Federal Ministry of Fisheries will be sought by a delegation from the Canadian Fisheries' Association when it waits upon the Premier in the near future.

The Grace Line freighter Condor is due at James Island next Monday from South America with 1,500 tons of Chili nitrate for discharge, according to King Brothers, shipping agents.

GULF ISLANDS SERVICE

Now effective, the steamer Otter leaves for the Gulf Islands on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at 7:15 a.m. The steamer Charmer leaves for Vancouver via the Gulf Islands on Tuesdays at 11 a.m.

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Canadian Pacific Sailings TO EUROPE

FROM ST. JOHN

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Feb. 1, March 1 .... Minnedosa
Feb. 15 .... Montroyal
March 15 .... Montroyal
March 29 .... Duchess of Richmond

To Glasgow-Belfast-Liverpool

Jan. 25, Feb. 22 .... Montrose
Feb. 8 .... Metagama
March 8 .... Montclare
April 10 .... Duchess of Bedford

To Cherbourg-Southampton-Antwerp

Jan. 24, Feb. 21 .... Melita
March 26 .... Montcalm

To Cherbourg-Southampton-Hamburg

March 15 .... Metagama

To Belfast-Glasgow

March 21 .... Melita

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WORLD'S GREATEST TRAVEL SYSTEM

ENSENADA ROUTE OPENS IN APRIL

Victoria to Be Connected With Mexican Port by Ruth and Emma Alexander

Arriving here from San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego at 10:40 o'clock last evening, the Pacific steamship Ruth Alexander, Captain Gries, set down fifty tons of cargo and disembarked twenty-five passengers before sailing for Seattle early this morning.

Victoria's first direct steamship service to Ensenada, Mexico, will be instituted in April by the Pacific Steamship Company, according to Mr. W. M. Allan, agent.

The new service will be started by the Ruth Alexander, sailing from Victoria on April 7, and from Los Angeles on April 12. Both the steamships Ruth Alexander and Emma Alexander will go through to Ensenada, sailing from Los Angeles every Friday at 9 p.m., and calling at San Diego en route. The vessels will arrive at Ensenada at noon every Saturday and, after spending twelve hours there will steam for San Diego, Los Angeles, San Francisco and Victoria.

The service to Ensenada will not affect the present sailing and arrival schedules of the Ruth Alexander and Emma Alexander. As at present, the vessels will leave San Francisco at 5 p.m. every Tuesday, arrive in Victoria on Thursday evening, and sail out again at 9 o'clock on Sunday morning, each week.

TOHSEI MARU IN TO LOAD LUMBER

To load 650,000 feet of lumber for Japan, Ss. Tohsei Maru arrived at King Brothers at Rithet piers at 7 o'clock last evening. Ss. Penmar is expected at Ogden Point docks to load lumber for the Atlantic Coast about January 14.

Shipping Information

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
JANUARY

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1929.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
10	8 00	4 27	21	7 50	4 53
11	8 04	4 38	22	7 58	4 20
12	8 04	4 40	23	7 54	4 30
13	8 30	4 41	24	7 50	4 30
14	8 30	4 42	25	7 03	4 00
15	8 30	4 44	26	7 51	5 01
16	8 01	4 48	27	7 30	5 30
17	8 30	4 47	28	7 30	5 04
18	7 58	4 40	29	7 47	5 30
19	7 00	4 00	30	7 44	5 07
20	7 07	4 00	31	7 45	5 30

MOONRISE AND MOONSET
JANUARY

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1929.

Date	Rises	Sets
11	6 55 p.m.	6 13 p.m.
(New Moon on 11th)		
12	6 38 p.m.	8 21 p.m.
13	8 20 a.m.	7 22 p.m.
14	10 18 p.m.	6 43 p.m.
15	10 30 p.m.	8 30 p.m.
16	10 57 p.m.	11 30 p.m.
17	11 10 p.m.	
18	11 34 p.m.	0 23 a.m.
(First Quarter on 18th)		
19	11 57 p.m.	1 30 a.m.
20	12 36 p.m.	3 01 a.m.
21	1 03 p.m.	4 28 a.m.
22	1 52 p.m.	5 43 a.m.
23	2 30 p.m.	6 54 a.m.
24	4 11 p.m.	7 01 a.m.
25	5 33 p.m.	8 34 a.m.
(Full Moon on 25th)		
26	6 54 p.m.	9 30 a.m.
27	8 13 p.m.	9 31 a.m.
28	9 30 p.m.	9 52 a.m.
29	10 50 p.m.	10 18 a.m.
30	11 40 p.m.	10 37 a.m.
31		10 44 a.m.

Note—These times are correct to within one or two minutes.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
JANUARY

Date	Time H. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht. Ft.	Time H. M.	Ht. Ft.
11			12 50	8 8	21 48	1 9		
12	8 03	8 8	0 07	8 8	13 00	8 2	22 32	1 4
13	8 48	8 7	10 27	8 8	13 41	8 8	22 57	1 7
14	8 08	8 8	11 36	8 3	14 30	8 8	23 32	8 0
15	8 10	8 3	12 46	7 3	18 18	7 8		
16	8 07	3 1	8 27	8 3	12 54	8 0	18 38	7 0
17	0 34	4 1	8 35	8 7	14 30	8 8	10 47	0 2
18	8 08	4 0	8 44	8 8	15 30	4 8	22 03	0.1
19	8 07	8 8	8 58	8 1	18 01	8 7		
20			8 10	8 7	17 43	8 7		
21			8 44	10 0	18 22	1 7		
22			10 28	10 8	19 18	0 8		
23			11 18	10 4	20 01	0 8		
24	0 12	8 8	7 07	8 8	12 21	10 2	20 43	0 8
25	8 30	0 8	8 00	8 8	12 40	10 8	21 24	0 8
26	0 18	3 0	8 20	8 8	13 08	8 8	22 08	1 2
27	8 39	8 8	10 32	7 4	14 39	8 7	22 46	1 8
28	8 00	8 8	11 30	7 8	10 28	7 8	22 24	0 8
29	7 30	8 8	12 43	8 8	18 00	7 8	23 30	8 8
30	7 02	8 7	14 00	8 7	18 20	8 8		
31	8 54	8 8	0 08	8 7	15 50	4 8	21 44	0 0

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt drydock at any tide, add 18.0 feet to the height of high water as above given.

To find the depth of water on the sill of the Songhees drydock add 30 feet to the height of high water as above given.

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S-4 Dedicated to Safety

THE submarine S-4 as she arrived at New London base before starting out as a "safety laboratory." Below is Diver Edward Kalinoski, wearing the "artificial lung," a device intended to save the lives of "pig boat" men trapped on the bottom of the ocean. Inset above is Lieutenant Charles Momsen, inventor of the machine.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, Jan. 10.—Arrived: Superior, Grays Harbor; Robert Luckenbach, Los Angeles; Tacoma. Sailed: Kewanee, Tyndareus, Tacoma; Hornie, Yokohama; Superior, Los Angeles; Anyox, British Columbia ports.

TACOMA, Jan. 10.—Arrived: Iyo Maru, Shanghai; Ms. Langlan, Antwerp. Sailed: Robert Luckenbach, Boston; Hakabasan Maru, Yokohama; Superior, Seward; Mirrabooka, Sydney; Talho Maru, Yokohama; Pacific Pine, New York.

PORTLAND, Jan. 10.—Arrived: Point Gordon, Mobile; Panaman, Louis Luckenbach, Los Angeles; J. R. Gordon, Galveston. Sailed: Jane Christensen, Baltimore; Pacific, Philadelphia; Admiral Peary, San Francisco; Bonita, New Orleans.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 10.—Arrived: Phoenix, San Pedro; Silverado, Calcutta; Golden Coast, Bellingham; Rentuckian, New York; W. R. Chamberlin, Santa Barbara. Sailed: Vras, San Olvea, Makura, Admiral Peoples, Portland; Santa Ines, Seattle.

Arrived

ROTTERDAM, Jan. 7.—Bradburn, Portland.
BREMEN, Jan. 8.—Justin, San Francisco.
BATAVIA, Jan. 9.—Benekalis, San Francisco.

Sailed

NNEMER, Jan. 9.—Cuba Maru, San Francisco.
HONG KONG, Jan. 8.—Empress of Russia, Vancouver.
PANAMA CANAL, Jan. 9.—Passed bound west: Missourian, Maesmar, American Star, Newbury, San Pedro; K. I. Luckenbach, San Francisco.

WEATHER REPORT

ESTEVAN—Fog; calm; 30.04; 40; smooth.
PACHENA—Clear; light, east; 30.28; 42; light chop.
CARMANAH—Clear; light, east; 30.25; light swell.
CAPE BEALE—Clear; calm; 30.30; light swell.
PRINCE RUPERT—Clear; calm; 30.33; 38; smooth.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated.)

GOLDEN BEAN—Eureka for Vancouver, 133 miles off Vancouver.
PACIFIC PINE—Tacoma for Los Angeles, 200 miles off Tacoma.
WAFAMA—Everett for Los Angeles, 348 miles off Los Angeles.
EMMA ALEXANDER—San Francisco for Los Angeles, 120 miles off Los Angeles.
ASTORIA—San Pedro for Everett, 613 miles north of San Pedro.
WILLZIPO—San Francisco for Panama, 332 miles off San Francisco.
CANADIAN ROVER—San Francisco for Vancouver, 386 miles off Vancouver.
CLEMMESTAO—Vladivostock for San Pedro, 610 miles off San Pedro.
CANADIAN FARMER—San Francisco for Victoria, 180 miles south of Victoria.
KURDISTAN—Bound Vancouver, 130 miles off.

C.G.S. MOVEMENTS

CANADIAN IMPORTER—Due from Halifax, February 10.
CANADIAN MILLER—Sails from Vancouver, January 11.
CANADIAN SEIGNEUR—Due from Halifax, March 17.
CANADIAN RANGER—Due from Halifax, January 17.
CANADIAN COASTER—Due from California, January 10.
CANADIAN FARMER—Due from California, January 12.
CANADIAN OBSERVER—At Vancouver.
CANADIAN ROVER—Due Vancouver, January 11.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

TOKIWA MARU—From Japan, January 12.
PRESIDENT PIERCE—From Japan, January 14.
PACIFIC ENTERPRISE—From England, January 18.
AFRICA MARU—From Japan, January 22.
SHIDZUOKA MARU—From Japan, January 28.
PARTHENIA—From England, January 30.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—From Japan, January 00.
PRESIDENT TAFT—From Japan, January 30.
PROTESILAUS—From Japan, January 30.
AORANGI—From Antipodes, February 1.
LONDON IMPORTER—From England, February 0.
YOKOHAMA MARU—From Japan, February 0.
EMPRESS OF ASIA—From Japan, February 0.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—From Japan, February 11.
ARABIA MARU—From Japan, February 12.
PACIFIC SHIPPER—From England, February 10.
TALTHYBIUS—From Japan, February 15.
TOYAMA MARU—From Japan, February 22.
PRESIDENT LINCOLN—From Japan, February 25.
EMPRESS OF FRANCE—From Japan, March 2.

To Depart

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—For Orient, January 16.
IYO MARU—For Orient, January 18.
PRESIDENT PIERCE—For Orient, January 28.
TYNDAREUS—For Orient, January 30.
ARIZONA MARU—For Orient, January 24.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—For Orient, February 5.
AORANGI—For Antipodes, February 6.
AFRICA MARU—For Orient, February 6.
PRESIDENT TAFT—For Orient, February 9.
SHIDZUOKA MARU—For Orient, February 9.
EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Orient, February 18.
PROTESILAUS—For Orient, February 19.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—For Orient, February 23.
YOKOHAMA MARU—For Orient, February 28.
ALABAMA MARU—For Orient, February 27.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
JANUARY
China and Japan

†ALABAMA MARU—Mails close January 9, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, January 19; Shanghai, January 00.
†KAGA MARU—Mails close January 8, 5 p.m. Due at Yokohama, January 21.
PRESIDENT CLEVELAND—Mails close January 16, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, January 28; Shanghai, January 30; Hong Kong, February 1.
†LONDON MARU—Mails close January 13, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, January 29; Shanghai, February 11.
‡IYO MARU—Mails close January 18, 4 p.m. Due Yokohama, February 4.
PRESIDENT PIERCE—Mails close January 26, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, February 8; Shanghai, February 12; Hong Kong, February 15.
‡TYNDAREUS—Mails close January 30, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama, February 12.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA—Mails close February 2, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama, February 14; Shanghai, February 10; Hong Kong, February 21.

*Mails for Japan and Hong Kong only.
†Mails for Shanghai only.
‡Mails for Japan only.

Australia and New Zealand

*SIERRA—Mails close January 7, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney, January 31.
NIAGARA—Mails close January 9, 5 p.m. Due at Auckland, January 28; Sydney, February 5.
†MAKURA—Mails close January 30, 5 p.m. Due at Wellington, February 11; Sydney, February 16.
‡SONOMA—Mails close January 28, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney, February 21.

*Mails for Australia only, via San Francisco.
†Mails for Australia and New Zealand, via San Francisco.
‡Mails for Fiji and Australia only, via San Francisco.

UNITED STATES AIR MAIL SCHEDULE
Table Showing Transit Time From Victoria

Eastbound daily, including Sunday. Air mail closing tonight at 11 o'clock.

Boise, Idaho: arrives day after tomorrow, 0.30 a.m.
Boston, Mass.: arrives on the fourth day, 0.35 a.m.
*Buffalo, N.Y.: arrives on the third day, 5.00 p.m.
Chicago, Ill.: arrives on the third day, 5.20 a.m.
Cleveland, Ohio: arrives on the third day, 11 a.m.
Dallas, Texas: arrives on the fourth day, 8 a.m.
Denver, Colo.: arrives on the third day, 0.30 a.m.
Detroit, Mich.: arrives on the third day, 12 noon.
Minneapolis, Minn.: arrives on the third day, 11.00 a.m.
New Orleans, La.: arrives on the fourth day, 10.00 a.m.
*New York, N.Y.: arrives on the third day, 8.00 p.m.
Omaha, Neb.: arrives on the third day, 10.25 a.m.
Ottawa, Ont.: arrives on the fourth day, 7 a.m.
*Philadelphia, Pa.: arrives on the third day, 7.55 p.m.
*Pittsburgh, Pa.: arrives on the third day, 1.45 p.m.
St. Louis, Mo.: arrives on the third day, 9.15 a.m.
St. Paul, Minn.: arrives on the third day, 11.00 p.m.
Salt Lake City, Utah: arrives day after tomorrow, 12.30 p.m.
*Toronto, Ont.: arrives on the third day, 6.00 p.m.
Washington, D.C.: arrives on the third day, 11.45 p.m.

Southbound daily, except Sunday. Air mail closing this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

*San Francisco, Cal.: arrives tomorrow, 5.15 p.m.
*Fresno, Cal.: arrives tomorrow, 8.15 p.m.
*Los Angeles, Cal.: arrives tomorrow, 9.15 p.m.
San Diego, Cal.: arrives day after tomorrow, 5.30 p.m.
Atlanta, Ga.: arrives on the fourth day, 9.17 a.m.

*For delivery on day of arrival a special delivery stamp will be necessary on letters addressed to these points.

America's Greatest Railway Tunnel opens January 12th

MARKING an epoch in the development of American rail transportation, drawing closer, in time and mileage, rich Northwest empires, the Great Northern's new 8-mile tunnel through the Cascades, will be formally dedicated Saturday. Then, also, the first all-electrified operation of trains between Skykomish and Wenatchee will begin.

The new tunnel brings greater speed of trains, more convenient schedules, elimination of curves, lower elevation, and increased travel comfort. Built in three years—world's record time—and costing approximately $14,000,000, it is an outstanding engineering achievement. A concrete-lined bore, arrow-straight, 41,152 feet long, 20 feet 10 inches high, 16 feet wide, electrically operated, and excellently ventilated.

The tunnel, the relocation of 20 miles of track on the east side (new Chumstick line), and the electrification of 71 miles, represents an outlay upwards of $25,000,000—evidence of the Great Northern's faith in the Pacific Northwest.

NEW FASTER TRAIN SCHEDULES
(In effect 9 P.M., Jan. 12)

ORIENTAL LIMITED—Train No. 2, Eastbound
Leave Tacoma 7:50 P.M. Leave Seattle 9:30 P.M. Arrive Spokane 7:30 A.M. (Handles Wenatchee Sleeper.)

GLACIER PARK LIMITED—Train No. 4, Eastbound
Leave Seattle 11:00 A.M. Arrive Spokane 10:10 P.M.

ORIENTAL LIMITED—Train No. 1, Westbound
Leave Spokane 7:30 A.M. Arrive Seattle 5:30 P.M. Arrive Tacoma 7:10 P.M.

GLACIER PARK LIMITED—Train No. 3, Westbound
Leave Spokane 9:30 P.M. Arrive Seattle 7:30 A.M. Connection arrives Tacoma 9:05 A.M. (Handles Wenatchee Sleeper)

NEW LOCAL TRAIN SERVICE

EASTBOUND—Leave Seattle 9:00 A.M. Leave Everett 9:20 A.M. Arriving Wenatchee 3:20 P.M. Leave Wenatchee 3:30 P.M. Arrive Spokane 9:10 P.M., making all stops.

WESTBOUND—Leave Spokane 9:00 A.M. Arrive Wenatchee 1:00 P.M. Lv. Wenatchee 3:00 P.M. Arr. Everett 9:30 P.M. Lv. Everett 9:03 P.M. Arr. Seattle 10:19 P.M., making all stops.

DON'T FAIL to "Listen-In" on Tunnel Dedication Ceremonies Saturday evening. National broadcast, first from the Pacific Northwest, over KOMO, KHQ, KGW, 5:00 P.M. to 6:00 P.M. Hear the voices of noted people.

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Some Remarkable Sea Trips Made in Small Craft, Including Cross-Channel Hop

LONDON, Eng. (By Mail).—The increased popularity of motor boating in England is largely due to an education of the public in the possibilities of waterway travel, the advantages of the different type of craft, and purchasing and maintenance costs, publicity having been given to this subject, particularly in a more liberal form in the nontechnical press.

Still, a large portion of the general public cannot differentiate between the launch and the cruiser, or are acquainted with the cost of either. Briefly, there are three popular types of motor boats: The outboard boat, a light, small, open boat, usually for one to three persons, with a light engine fixed on the stern portion; the launch, an open boat, with the engine of a heavier and more durable type, permanently installed within; and the cruiser, what may be termed a floating home, a cabin craft with the comforts and necessities for an extended trip on river or sea. The varieties of design, elaborations and combinations of these types are, of course, legion, but standardization is being largely effected.

To furnish the readers with some idea of the costs, a British manufacturer gives the yearly running expenditure of an eighteen-foot four-seater sixteen m.p.h. runabout launch at $125, including moorings and attendance, petrol and oil for 1,000 miles, laying-up during the Winter and repainting and insurance.

Similarly, a cabin cruiser, with full accommodation for five to six persons, is stated to incur a yearly maintenance cost rarely exceeding $250, covering an expenditure for similar mileage and maintenance.

Some remarkable sea trips with comparatively small craft were undertaken from the English coast during 1928, the most noteworthy being that of the Hon. Mrs. Victor Bruce's cross-Channel dash from Dover to Calais with her little outboard craft.

Quite late in the year, however, Mr. Arnold, of Bradfield, a keen British marine motorist, carried out an even more adventurous trip with a double-ended ship's lifeboat, only seventeen feet long, powered by one of the popular five-horsepower two-cylinder motors. Mr. Arnold, who was unable to claim expert knowledge of marine motors, and unable to easily sail this type of craft, made a successful crossing from Swanage to Alderney in twelve hours. The adventurous trip was followed up by a month's cruising in the vicinity of Alderney, terminating at Guernsey, from whence Mr. Arnold returned to Swanage, a further lengthy open sea trip of about ninety-five miles, in fifteen and a half hours. The engine was not stopped once during this return journey. An extremely moderate fuel and oil consumption was recorded during these two interesting trips.

New Princess Norah Leaves Canal Zone

The Princess Norah left Balboa, the Pacific terminus of the Panama Canal, on Thursday morning, for Victoria, according to word received by Captain R. W. McMurray, marine superintendent of the British Columbia Coast Steamship Service.

One more stop will be made by the vessel, at San Pedro, for fuel oil. In command of Captain C. C. Sainty, the Norah is expected to make the 3,962-mile voyage by January 25.

Coastal Sailings Out of B.C. Ports

COASTWISE SAILINGS

For Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 2.15 p.m.
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11.45 p.m.

From Vancouver

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 7 a.m.
C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 6.30 p.m.

For Seattle

Iroquois leaves daily at 9.15 a.m.
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 4.00 p.m.

From Seattle

C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 1.10 p.m.
Iroquois arrives daily at 8 a.m.

West Coast Route

B.C. Coast Service. From Victoria to Port Alice and all West Coast ports leaving Victoria on 1st, 11th and 21st of month.

Nanaimo-Vancouver

Princess Elaine leaves Nanaimo at 7 and 0.15 leaves Vancouver at 10 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. daily, except Sunday. Every Sunday leave Vancouver 10 a.m., leave Nanaimo 5 p.m.

Victoria-Port Angeles

Auto and passenger ferry Iroquois sails daily for Port Angeles at 10.15 a.m. Leaves Port Angeles at 7.30 a.m.

Prince Rupert Route

Union Steamships Every Thursday at 7 p.m. and every Friday at 9 a.m. from Vancouver for Alert Bay, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert, etc.

Canadian National Steamships On Mondays at 8 p.m. from Vancouver.

Queen Charlotte Islands Route

Canadian National Steamships Fortnightly from Vancouver.

Portland Canal Route
Observatory Inlet Route

Canadian National Steamships, On Mondays at 8 p.m., from Vancouver, for Prince Rupert, Stewart, Anyox, Powell River and Ocean Falls.

Vancouver-Ocean Falls-Prince Rupert

Weekly. Princess Royal leaves Vancouver 8 p.m., Wednesdays. Canadian National Steamships, Mondays, 8 p.m., from Vancouver.

Powell River and Comox

C.P.R. steamer Charmer sails from Vancouver midnight on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Alaska and Northern British Columbia

Princess Mary leaves Vancouver 8 p.m., January 15, January 24 and February 7, afternoon steamer from Victoria connecting for northern ports.

Gulf Islands Service

Steamer Otter leaves Victoria for Gulf Islands at 7.15 a.m. on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays.

Steamer Charmer leaves Victoria for Vancouver, via Gulf Islands at 11.00 a.m. on Tuesdays.

Marine Notes

Following complete fumigation at William Head Quarantine Station, the Yamashita Shipping Company's freighter Yahiko Maru left for New Westminster at midnight.

With fifty tons of California cargo for discharge, the Canadian National freighter Canadian Farmer is due at Ogden Point docks on Saturday morning.

Ss. Chokoh Maru passed up to Vancouver at 11:30 o'clock last evening.

Ss. Princess Patricia is being given a general overhaul by the Victoria Machinery Company, Limited.

The Murdie Wood Engineering Works, Limited, is doing tail shaft work on the local tug Restless.

SEATTLE, Jan. 10.—The former army transport Susquehanna, laid up for several years in Lake Union, is to sail for Japan to be scrapped on January 19 after loading 3,200,000 feet of lumber at Everett.

New regulations pertaining to the use of rat guards on steamers at Buenos Aires became effective December 1. The rat guards which are to be used are sixty centimeters in diameter, made of galvanized iron in a circular double disc, the latter fitted with a screw in order to fit the hawser snugly and thus obviate the possibility of rats passing through.

CEMENT COMPANY BUYS NEW VESSEL

Steel Motorship Columbia Expected Here From England About Middle of March

Mr. Edwin Tomlin, manager of the B.C. Cement Company's plant at Bamberton, announced yesterday that the company had purchased the steel motorship Columbia in England, for use in carrying cement and materials.

Equipped with Atlas Diesel engines, the Columbia can make between ten and fifteen knots per hour. She is of 840 deadweight tons, 165 feet long, 30 feet beam and 14.6 feet deep. The vessel is expected here about the middle of March.

At present the B.C. Cement Company operates the 200-ton freighter Teco and the 500-ton motorship Shean between Bamberton and Mainland ports.

A clergyman had just finished his farewell sermon, and was saying good-bye to his hearers at the church door.

"Well, your reverence," said an old farmer, who meant well, "I can't say we shall miss your vacant chair, as it will soon be occupied; but I am sure of one thing, and that is, that we shall miss your 'vacant face.'"

SUNKEN STEAMER FOUND IN HARBOR

Hulk of Ss. Centennial Located by Surveyors Near Port Jackson, Australia

SYDNEY, Australia, Jan. 10.—While surveying twenty-two square miles of navigable water in the vicinity of Port Jackson, the Sydney Harbor Trust came across a large obstruction at the entrance to Taylor's Bay.

Though not in the fairway, the obstruction constituted a danger to shipping seeking an anchorage in the vicinity, and its presence was not shown upon the charts. Surveyors and divers finally identified the obstacle as the steamer Centennial, which foundered after a collision in 1898 and was supposed to have been blown up.

NOTICE TO MARINERS

(273) Strait of Georgia—Fraser River Entrance—Position of buoy to be changed.

Without further notice, black gas buoy No. 17 will be moved to the opposite side of the channel, to the position now occupied by red conical buoy No. 16. The gas buoy in its new position will be painted red and will exhibit an occulting red light.

A. JOHNSTON,
Deputy Minister.

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Winter Schedule, Effective November 1, 1928

North Bound—Read Down A.M.	P.M.	P.M.		South Bound—Read Up A.M.	P.M.	P.M.
*9 00	*0.30	10.15	Lv. VICTORIA Arr.	11 00	8 10	11.00
9 15	8 10		Bannisneed	11 10	4 30	
10 00	8 00	7 30	Mill Bay	10 18	8 30	
10 15	4 10	7 40	Cobble Hill	10.30	8 00	10 15
10 00	4 25	8 00	Cowichan Bay	9 50	3.10	10 30
10 45	4 45	8 10	Duncan	9 30	3.00	9 30
11 30	8 00	8 40	Westholme	8 30	8 00	9 20
11 30	0 30	8 38	Chemainus	8 00	8 00	9 00
11 30	0 30	8 30	Ladysmith	8 23	8 30	9 00
12 12	8 10	10 30 Arr.	NANAIMO Lv.	*8 00	*1 10	†8 00

*Via Mill Bay ferry. †If condition of Malahat permits of operation.

Express Freight Carried

Leave Nanaimo from Union Stage Depot. Phone 819
Leave Ladysmith from Wigwam Depot. Phone 154
Leave Chemainus from Barber Shop
Leave Duncan from Eric's Depot. Phone 182
Leave Victoria from Broughton Street Depot. Phone 3906

NANAIMO TO COURTENAY AND CUMBERLAND

North Bound P.M.	P.M.		South Bound—Read Up A.M.	P.M.
1 30	8 00	Lv. NANAIMO Arr.	11 30	1 30
1 18	8 18	Wellington	11 43	12 30
1 30	8 30	Lantzville	11 28	12 30
1 30	8 30	Straits Lumber	11 10	12 00
2 30	8 00	Parksville	10 55	11 30
2 30	9 30	Qualicum Beach	10 30	11 30
2 00	9 30	Dashwood	10 13	11 30
2 45	3 00	Bern Lake	10 00	11 10
1 00	10 00	Bowser	9 50	11 30
3 20	10 30	Robert Dollar	9 35	10 30
3 30	10 30	Fanny Bay	9 30	10 40
3 30	10 00	Union Bay	7 30	10 30
4 10	11 00	Royston	8 20	10 10
4 15	11 12	Courtenay	8 10	10 00
5 30	11 30 Arr.	CUMBERLAND Lv.	8 00	8 00

CAMPBELL RIVER STAGE

Leaving Nanaimo daily at 1 P.M. Leaving Campbell River at 9:30 A.M. daily for Nanaimo.

NANAIMO TO PORT ALBERNI

North Bound P.M.	P.M.		South Bound—Read Up Noon	P.M.
1 00	8 00	Lv. NANAIMO Arr.	12 30	6 00
P.M.	P.M.		A.M.	P.M.
1 18	8 10	Wellington	11 00	4 45
1 30	8 30	Lantzville	11 30	4 30
1 30	8 38	Straits Lumber	11 30	4 30
1 40	8 00	Arlington Hotel	11 30	4.10
1 30	8 03	Craig's	11 10	6 05
2 00	8.00	Parksville	10 30	8 30
2 18	8 10	Errington Road	10 30	8 30
2 15	9 15	Coombs	10 30	2 00
2 30	9 00	Miller's	10 30	3 30
3 40	9 40	Cameron Lake	10 00	3 30
3 40	10 40	Alberni	9 10	3 10
4 30	11 30 Arr.	PORT ALBERNI Lv.	9 30	3 30

Connecting with Alberni Canal Boats, leaving Port Alberni at 9 P.M. for Canal and West Coast Points.

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Stage Leaving Nanaimo at 1 P.M. for Port Alberni connects with our Great Central and Sproat Lake Stages.

Leave Broughton St. Depot (Facing Broad St.) Phone 3906

Exceptional Values in Ready-to-Wear, Silks and Shoes Featured in Our January Bargains Today

Women's and Misses' Dressing Gowns

Two Bargains for Today at

$4.50 and $5.90

Dressing Gowns of Fleeced Robing of good weight. They have patch pockets and are bound with satin; floral and conventional designs; with girdle. Each..... **$4.50**

Dressing Gowns of Blanket Cloth, finished with roll collar, cuffs and pockets, trimmed with rayon cord and silk girdle. Shown in a range of designs and colorings. Each, **$5.90**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

Women's Cardigans and Pull-Overs On Sale Today, Each, $3.95

All-Wool or Silk and Wool Cardigans and Pull-Overs, in an assortment of shades and neat fitting. Various sizes. Each **$3.95**

—Sweaters, 1st Floor

January Sale of Women's and Children's MILLINERY

75 Best Model Hats, including satins, metallic cloth, fine fur felt, Soliel velours and velvet. All marked down to one price in our final clearance of Hats at **$4.98**

Other Trimmed Hats greatly reduced. Every Hat is a great bargain.
Each ..... **$2.98** and **$1.98**

Children's Hats and Tams in a good variety of style and colors. Each **98c**

—Millinery, 1st Floor

OUTSIZE Silk Knit DRESSES

January Sale Offerings—Each

$5.95 and $6.90

A Collection of Silk Knit Dresses, fashioned in bolero and two-piece effects. There are round, square or V necks, some with tailored collars. They have long sleeves with turn back cuffs, the skirts finished with front or side pleats. The fine appearance of these dresses and the excellent quality mark them as exceptional values. Shades beige, saxe blue, pearl grey, wine, blonde, jade, brown, navy and black. Sizes 16 to 50. At two prices..... **$5.95** and **$6.90**

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

Boys' Knit Suits

Greatly Reduced for January To Clear at **$1.98**

Boys' Knit Suits in a fancy wool mixture; made with polo collar and cuffs in contrasting colors. Sizes 2 to 5 years. Each **$1.98**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

BABYWEAR

Reduced for January Sale

Brushed Wool Gaiters with a strap under shoe. In white only. Sizes 1 and 2 years. Regular $1.25 for..... **98c**

Dr. Arnot's Sleepers for little tots; warm and cosy and just the garment for cold weather. Suitable for boys and girls. Sizes 1 to 3 years. Each ..... **$1.25** and **$1.35**

—1st Floor

Children's Pantie Dresses Each, $1.95

Children's Pantie Dresses of satin-finished print in attractive floral designs; made on a yoke and trimmed with smocking, pleats and contrasting collar and cuffs. Bloomers have elastic at waist and cuff. Shown in many lovely colorings. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Each **$1.95**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

Children's All-Wool Full-Length Hose in fine ribbed effects. Shown in camel, fawn, brown, French nude, cream and black.

Sizes 4½ to 5½, a pair..... **50c**
Sizes 6 to 7½, a pair..... **65c**
Sizes 8 to 10, a pair..... **79c**

Misses' Silk and Lisle Hose in shades of zinc, chicle, nude, French nude, blush, pearl blush, honey beige and white. Neat fitting and well reinforced hose. A pair..... **49c**

Misses' Silk Hose, full length, with well-spliced heel and toe. Shown in nude, champagne, French nude, pearl blush, aluminum and white. A pair..... **79c**

—Lower Main Floor

Women's Fleeced Vests and Bloomers

Women's Fleeced Cotton Vests, made with built-up shoulders and shown in white, pink, peach, mauve and mah jong. Sizes 36, 40, 44. Each..... **59c**

Women's Fleeced Cotton Bloomers to match the vests, made with a full gusset and elastic at waist and knee. Sizes 36, 40, 44. A pair..... **69c**

—Knit Underwear, 1st Floor

WOMEN'S WOOL GAITERS

Full Length Style

Gaiters in full length style, to fit over knee and fashioned to fit the ankle neatly. Shown in self colors or mottled effects. All popular shades and all sizes.

$2.75 and $3.95

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Harvey's Rayon Lingerie

Harvey's Rayon Silk Slips in beautifully tailored styles with built-up shoulders and single skirt. Shown in white, cherub, peach, camille, tangerine, Nile, blue, sunset and fiesta. Each **$2.75**

Harvey's Rayon Silk Slips with built-up shoulders and shadowproof skirt. Shown in the same shades as the above. Each **$3.75**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Gauntlet Gloves

Greatly Reduced for Today

Perrin's Gauntlets of heavy quality Cape Skin with strap wrist fastener and contrasting gusset in cuff. Grey only. Regular $3.50 a pair for **$1.98**

Gauntlet Driving Gloves of heavy quality chamoisette with leather palms and fingers; strap fastener at wrist. Regular $2.95 a pair for **$1.98**

—Main Floor

Excellent Values in

CORSET BELTS

Corset Belts of pink elastic and fancy pink cotton, made in step-in style and shown with four hose supporters. Each **$1.00**

Side-Hook Corset Belts of lined rayon satin and pink elastic. Well shaped. Price, each **$1.25**

Corset Belts of lined crepe de Chine and silk elastic; boneless and well shaped, with a side hook and four hose supporters. Price, each **$2.50**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

Grey Wool Blankets

A Pair, $7.50

Double Bed Size Grey Wool Blankets, whipped singly and 8 lbs. weight. Size 72 x 90. A pair **$7.50**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

Several Bargains Today in WOMEN'S HOSIERY

Women's Fine Cotton Hose, seamless, with comfortable hemmed tops, reinforced feet, and in a range of colors. A pair **35c**
Or 3 pairs for **$1.00**

Women's Silk and Lisle Hose, in medium ribbed effects. Ideal for everyday wear. Shades are champagne, French nude, pearl blush, black, aluminum and white. All sizes. A pair. **69c**

Women's Rayon Silk Hose, full and semi-fashioned; self colors and mottled effects or fancy checks; well reinforced. A range of shades. Sizes 8½ to 10½. Regular a pair, $1.75. On sale for **98c**

Women's Ankle Socks of wool and silk and wool, with cuffs of contrasting shades. White and fawn. Sizes 8½ to 10. Regular a pair, $1.50, for **98c**

Women's Pure Thread Silk Hose, semi-fashioned, with comfortable hemmed tops. Reinforced at wearing parts. Shades, sonata, platinum, cascade, gunmetal, suede, grain, patio, beaver, chateau, chaire, French nude, naturelle and black and white. Regular a pair, $1.75, for **98c**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

Our January Sale Features Women's Shoes

A Pair

$5.90

This is one of the biggest values we have ever offered, including as it does smart new Shoes for afternoon, evening and street wear. There are Strap Slippers and Pumps of colored and black kid and patent; Brown Suede Ties; "Empress" Corrective Shoes in straps and ties; Walking Oxfords and Ties in smart two-tone and plain effects and Black Satin Slippers. Regular $7.50 to $10.00 a pair for **$5.90**

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor

NEW SHIPMENT OF WOOLS

A new shipment of "Home Wools" in all the new shades, including acacia, moss green, wild orchid, primrose, shell pink, periwinkle, blue lavender, powder blue, fawn, diadem, Spring green, Chantilly, black, pink, grey and white. 1-ounce ball **20c**

"Silver Thread" Wool in the new shades of diadem, parchment, blue lavender, June rose, acacia, pink, rose, mauve, grey, pale blue and white. 1-ounce ball **25c**

—Needlework, 1st Floor

Wool Charmline and Gabardine DRESSES

Values $10.75 for $6.75

Dresses for afternoon wear, with long sleeves, neatly trimmed and with contrasting vestees. A number of popular colors to select from. All sizes. Each a great value for **$6.75**

—Sprouls Highway, Lower Main Floor

Women's Felt Hats, $1.98 and 98c

Neatly Trimmed Felt Hats in a variety of shapes and styles. Values from $2.98 to $3.98. Each..**98c**

Women's Fine Felts in close-fitting and small shapes and a large range of shades. Regular to $6.75 each for **$1.98**

—Sprouls Highway, Lower Main Floor

Black Chiffon Velvet

Values to $5.25 for $2.29

A delayed shipment of Black Chiffon Velvet that should have arrived in October. It must now be sold before stocktaking and has been greatly reduced to effect speedy clearance. On sale today, a yard **$2.29**

—Silks, Main Floor

Crib Blankets Each, $1.39

Blue or Pink Crib Blankets, with animal designs. Extra heavy. Size 36 x 48. Price, each **$1.39**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

Crib Comforters Each, $2.49

Comforters, filled with purified cotton, covered with silkoline in floral designs, and paneled. Size 40 x 54. Each **$2.49**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

Flannelette Sheets Each, $1.00

White or Grey Flannelette Sheets, three-quarter and double bed size. Some soiled and slightly imperfect. On sale, each **$1.00**

Flannelette Sheets, extra large size, 70 x 90 inches. Slightly imperfect. On sale, a pair **$2.85**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

Hemstitched Sheets Each, $1.00

Sheets of a good grade cotton, soft finish, free from filling, finished with two-inch hem. Size 70 x 90. Priced at, each **$1.00**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

Men's Scarves

A Delayed Shipment From England On Sale Today Each **$1.69**

Pure Wool Knitted Scarves; dark blue, light blue, light green, rose and sand, with contrasting stripes. On sale, each **$1.69**

Men's Art Silk Knitted Scarves with fringed ends; contrasting stripes on colored grounds. On sale, each **$1.69**

Towel Stitch Silk Knitted Scarves, assorted colors; stripes and checks. Each **$1.69**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Fleece-Lined Lumberjacks Each, $2.49

Lumberjacks to button down front, have polo collar and two pockets. Fancy front in contrast color design. Priced at, each **$2.49**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

The Boys' Store

Offers Many Excellent Values

Juvenile Overcoats of good grade tweeds; brown and grey. They are made with raglan sleeves, two-way collar and three-piece belt. Sizes 21 to 23 ..... **$6.95**

Juvenile Suits, Oliver Twist style. Shades blue, brown, grey and fawn. Sizes for 2 to 6 years **$1.95**

Boys' Oilskin Raincapes; black or olive shades. Sizes 31 to 39 **$2.50**

Boys' Tweed Knickers. Sizes 22 to 32. A pair **$1.00**

Boys' Pajamas of good grade flannelette, two-piece style. Sizes 26 to 34 ..... **$1.25**

—Boys' Store, Gent's Street

COTTON-FILLED COMFORTERS

$3.25 and $4.25

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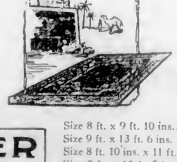
—Staple Dept., Main Floor



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—Oriental Rug Dept., 2nd Floor

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—Lower Main Floor

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